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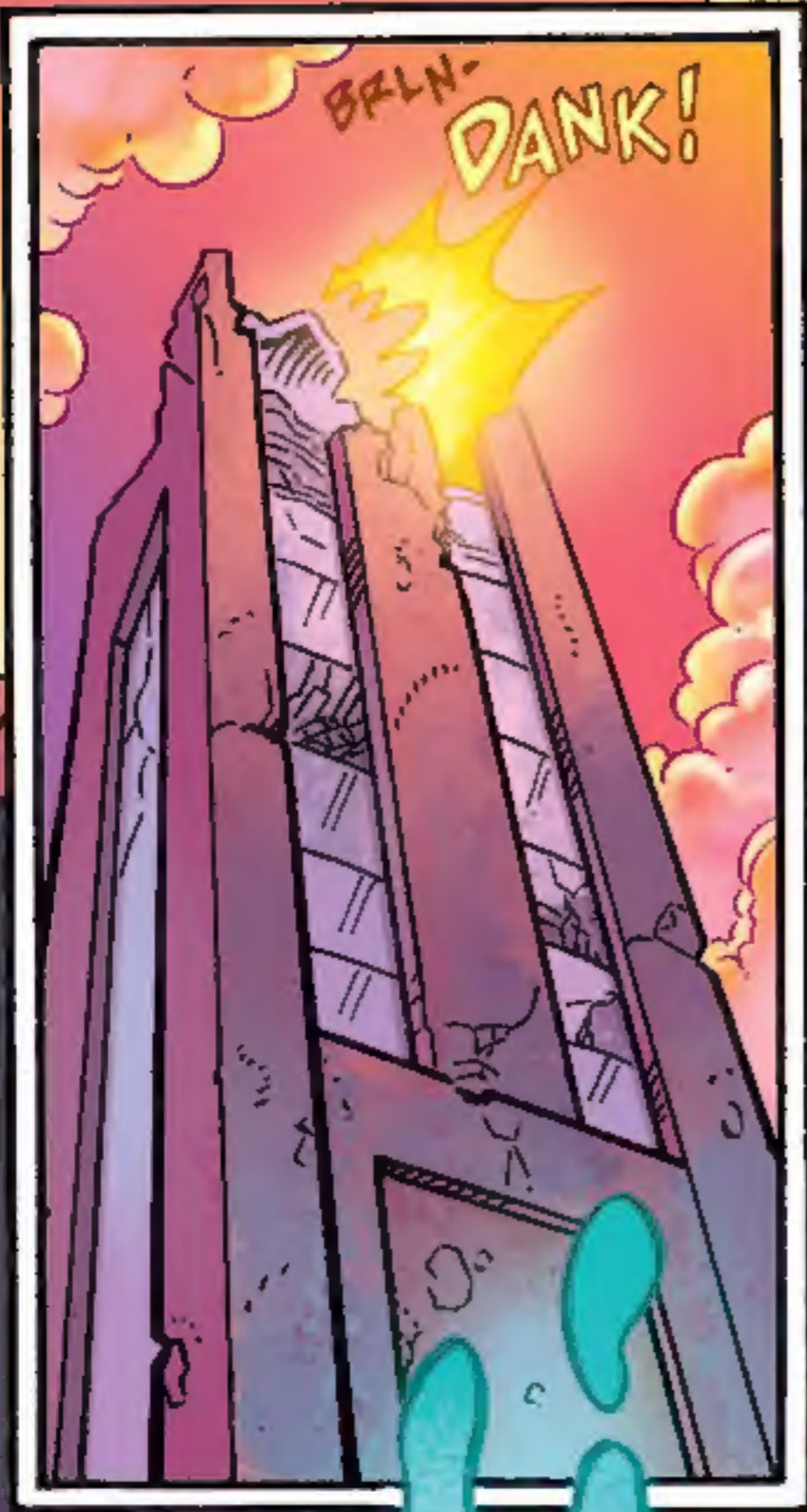
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WELCOME TO THE PLANET MOBIUS--A WORLD BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA GAMES--TWO HUNDRED YEARS FROM NOW, SILVER THE HEDGEHOG PREPARES TO BECOME A HERO TO HIS WORLD--AND ALL OF TIME!

PATIENCE, APPRENTICE. THE ENERGIES OF THE TIME STONE ARE VAST AND POWERFUL. JUST BECAUSE YOU USE THEM TO TRAVEL THROUGH TIME DOES NOT MEAN YOU SHOULD TAP INTO THEM TOO QUICKLY OR GREEDILY.

SILVER THE HEDGEHOG
PSYCHIC TIME-TRAVELER

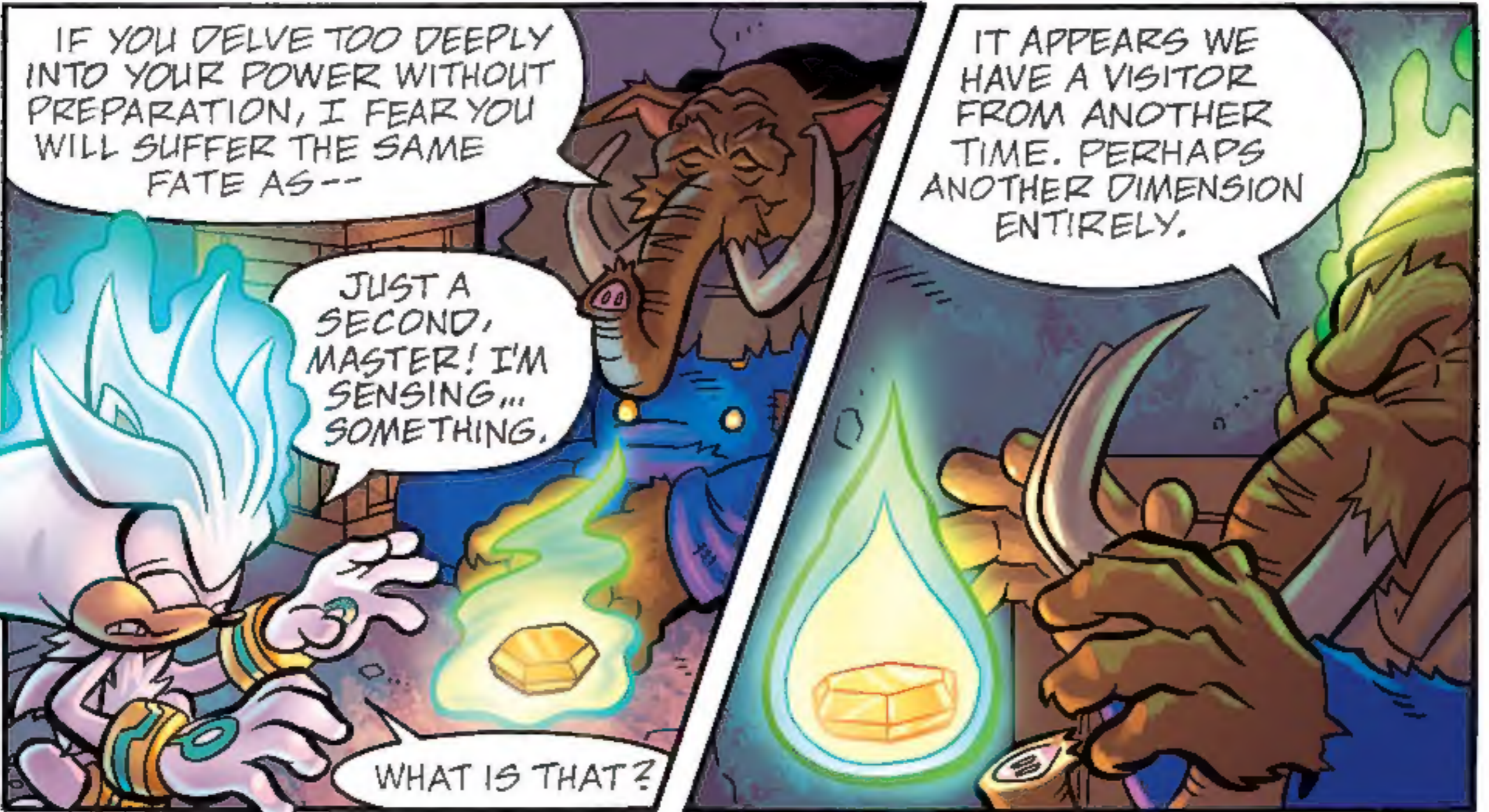
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SILVER'S MENTOR

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THIS IS WHY WE PRACTICE, LIKE THE TIME STONE, YOU HAVE INCREDIBLE POTENTIAL.



IF YOU DELVE TOO DEEPLY INTO YOUR POWER WITHOUT PREPARATION, I FEAR YOU WILL SUFFER THE SAME FATE AS---

JUST A SECOND, MASTER! I'M SENSING... SOMETHING.

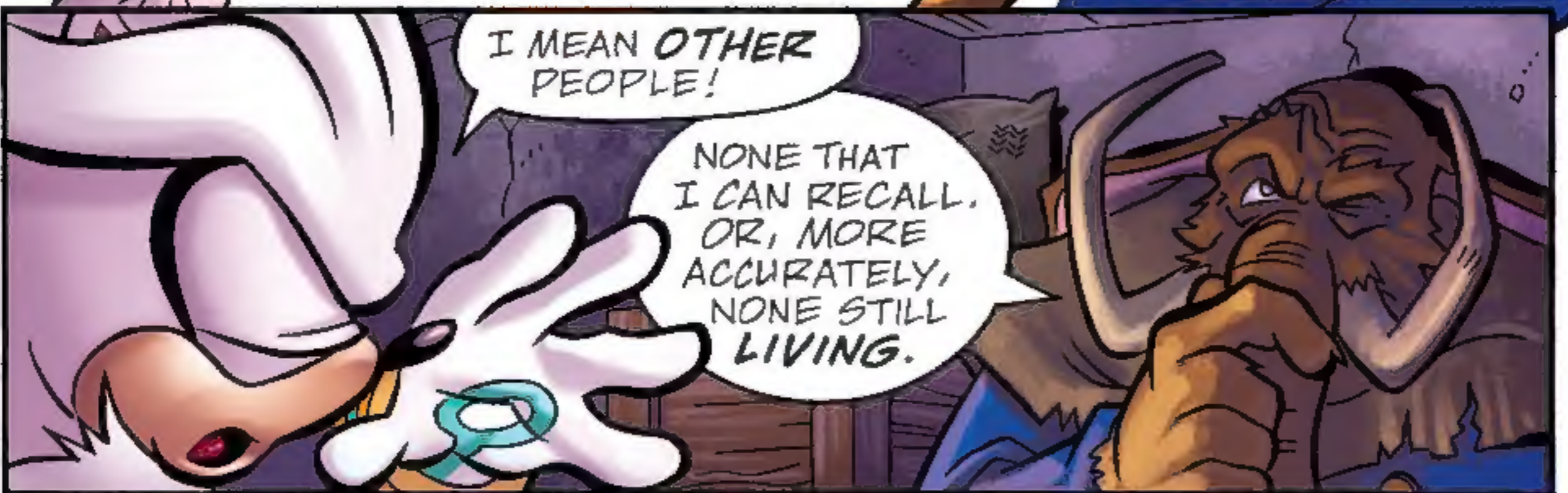
IT APPEARS WE HAVE A VISITOR FROM ANOTHER TIME. PERHAPS ANOTHER DIMENSION ENTIRELY.

WHAT IS THAT?

YOU MEAN THEY CROSSED FROM THEIR ZONE TO OURS? PEOPLE CAN DO THAT?

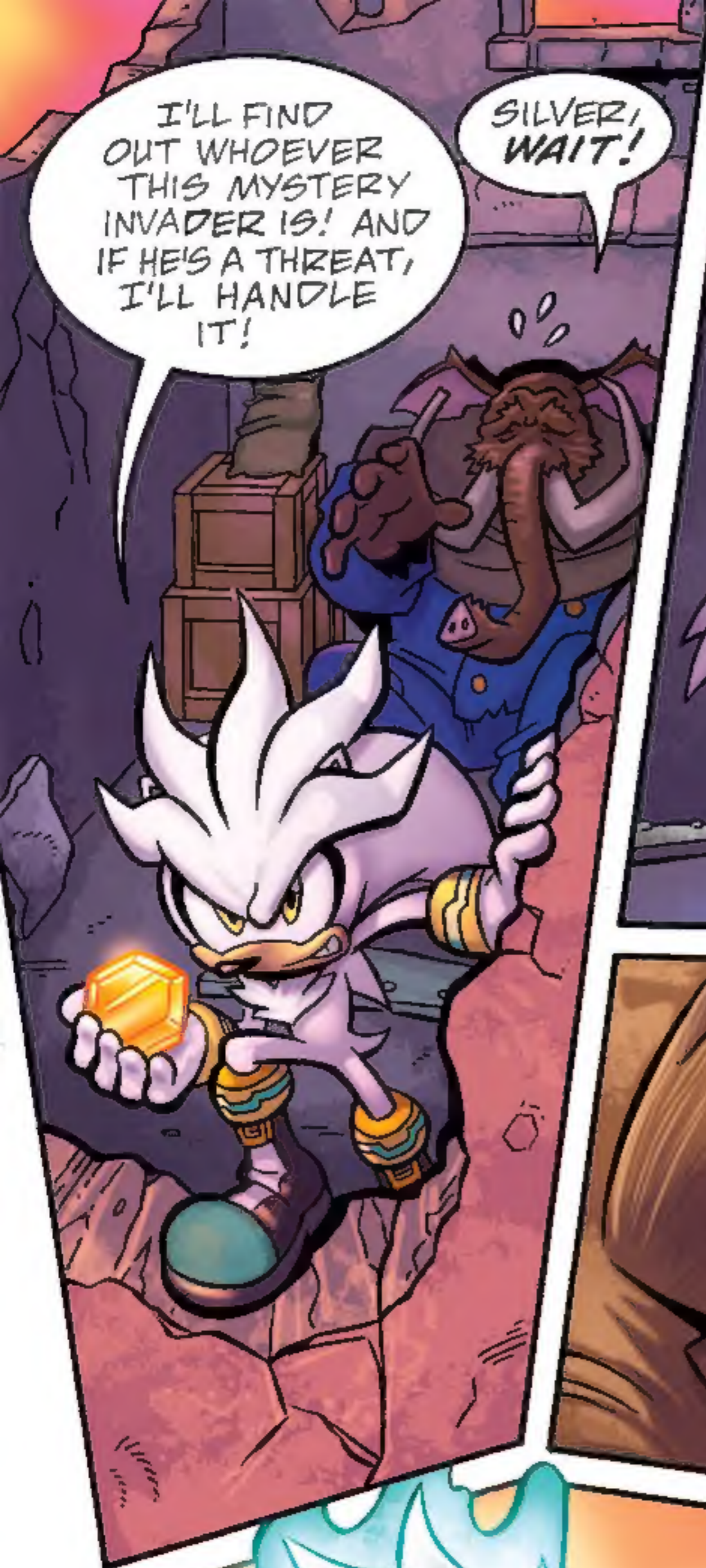
YOU'VE DONE IT YOURSELF, CHILD. MORE THAN ONCE.*

* SEE **SU#5-8** "30 YEARS LATER" AND HIS EXPERIENCES ON MOEBIUS.



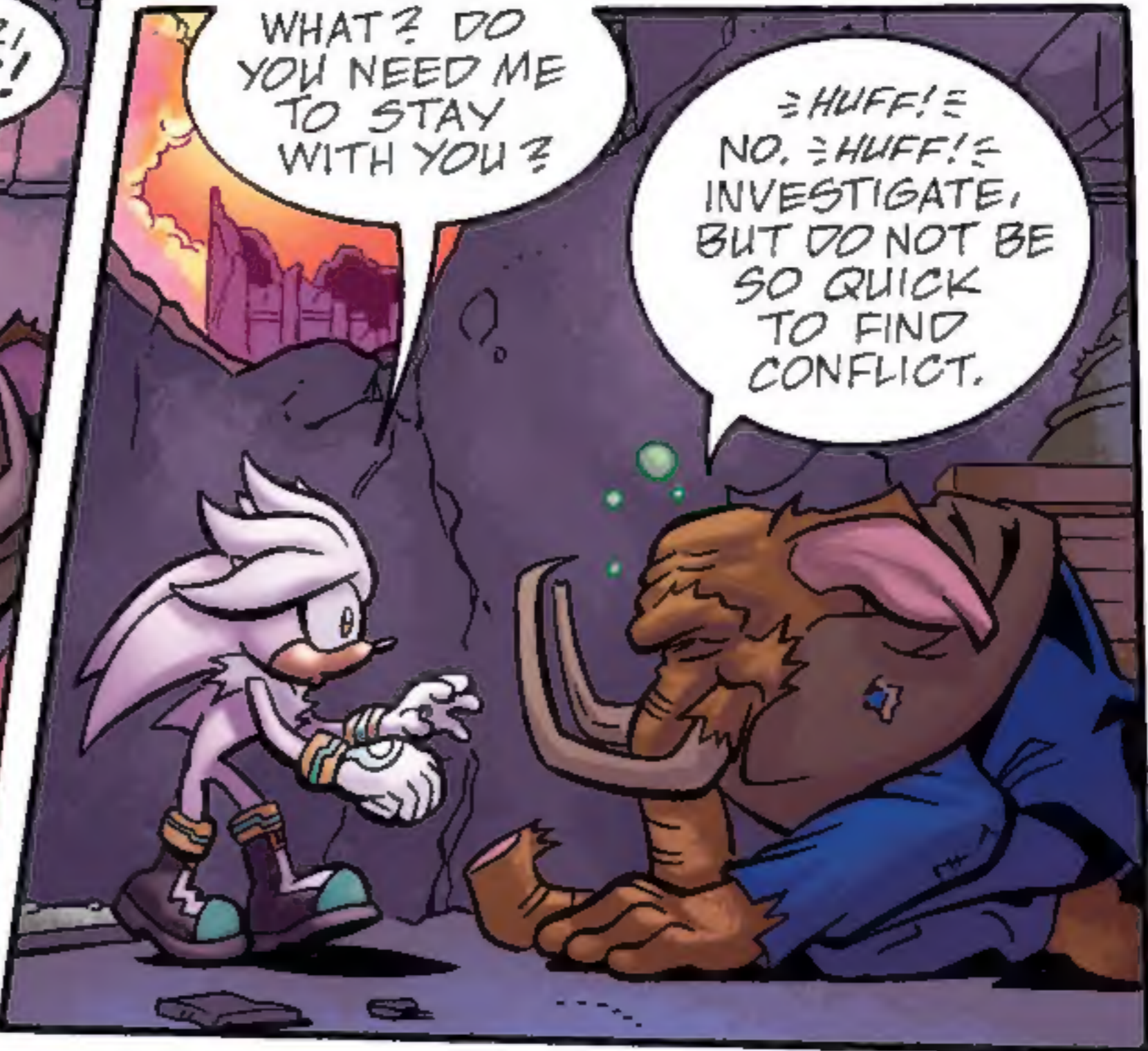
I MEAN OTHER PEOPLE!

NONE THAT I CAN RECALL, OR, MORE ACCURATELY, NONE STILL LIVING.



I'LL FIND OUT WHOEVER THIS MYSTERY INVADER IS! AND IF HE'S A THREAT, I'LL HANDLE IT!

SILVER, WAIT!



WHAT? DO YOU NEED ME TO STAY WITH YOU?

≡HUFF!≡ NO. ≡HUFF!≡ INVESTIGATE, BUT DO NOT BE SO QUICK TO FIND CONFLICT.

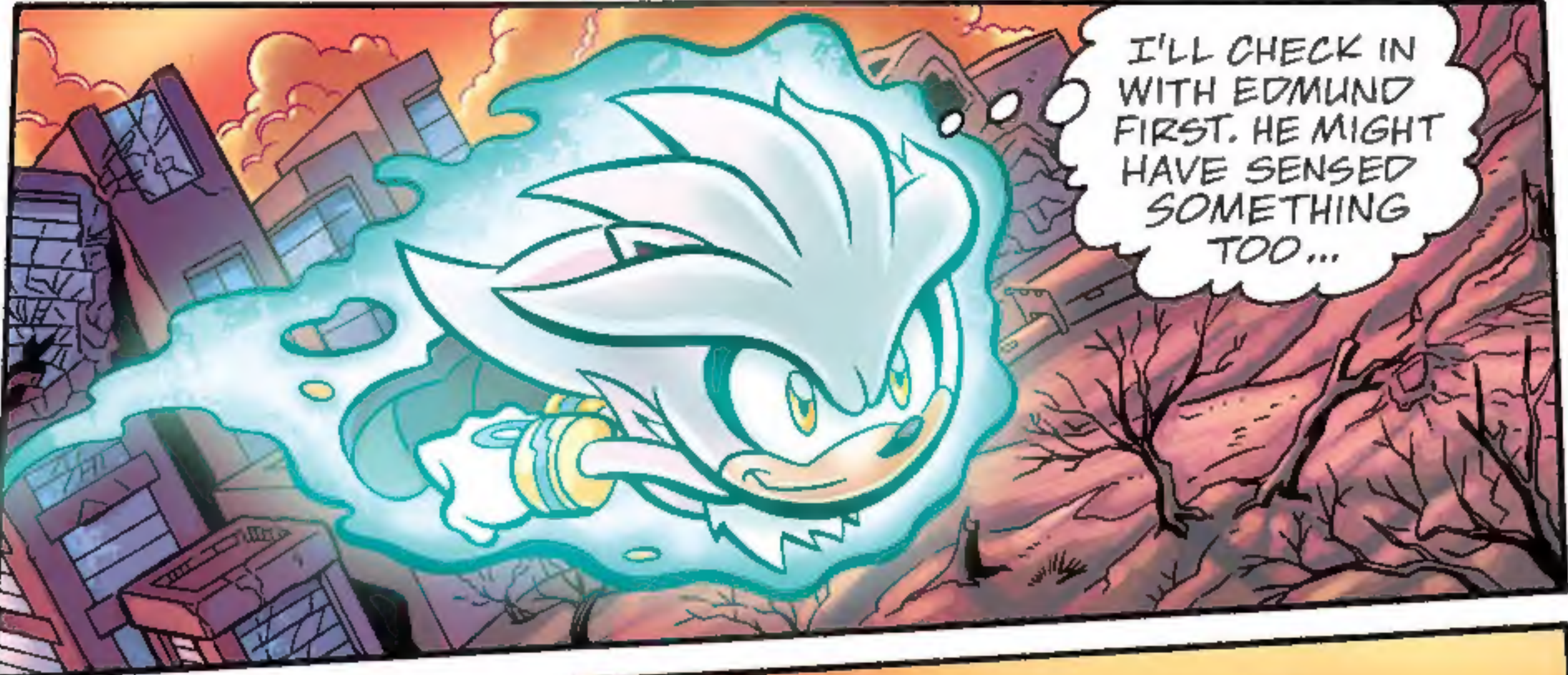


REMEMBER MY WORDS ON POTENTIAL AND RESTRAINT. ULTIMATE POWER ULTIMATELY CORRUPTS.

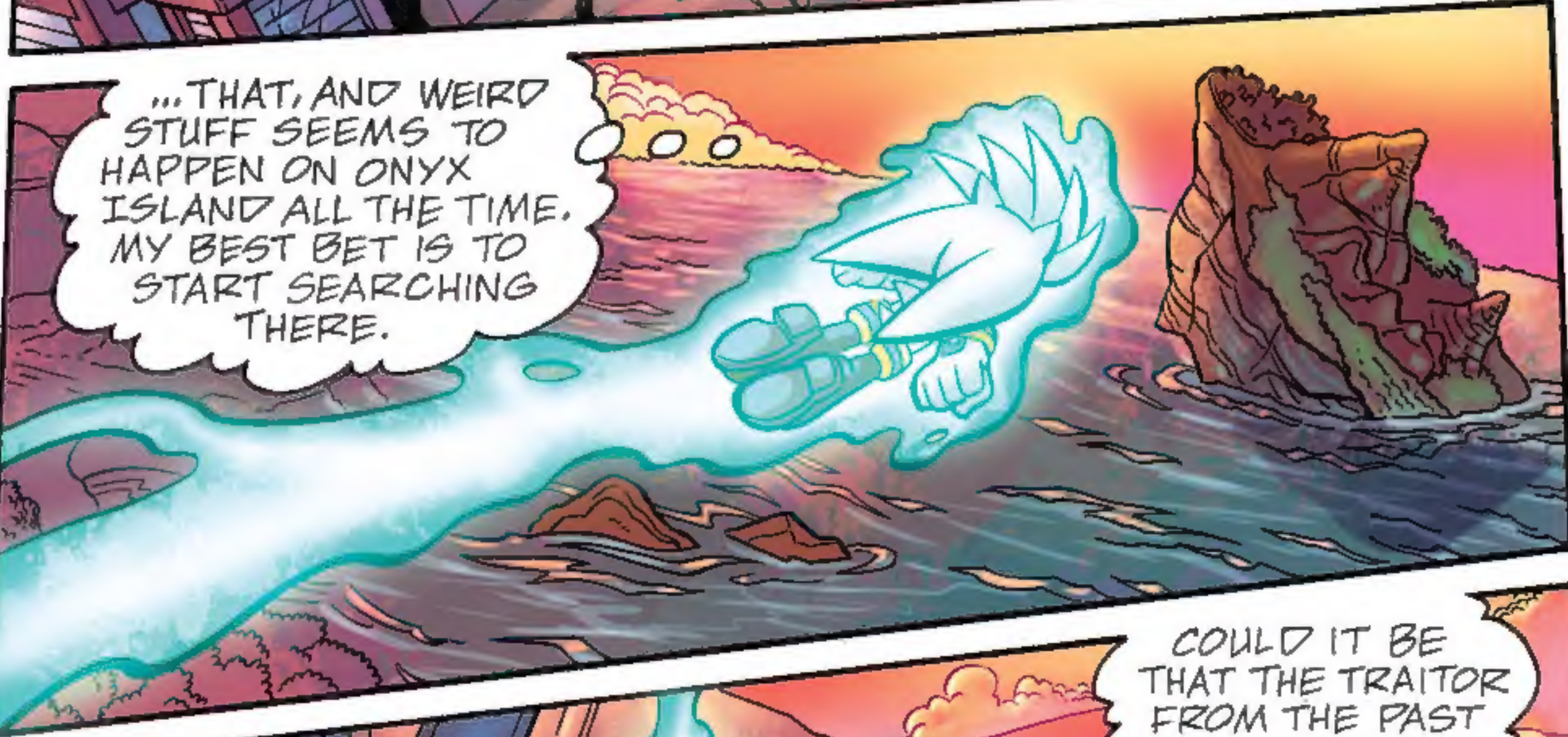


DON'T WORRY, MASTER. I'LL REMEMBER, AND I'LL BE READY FOR ANYTHING.

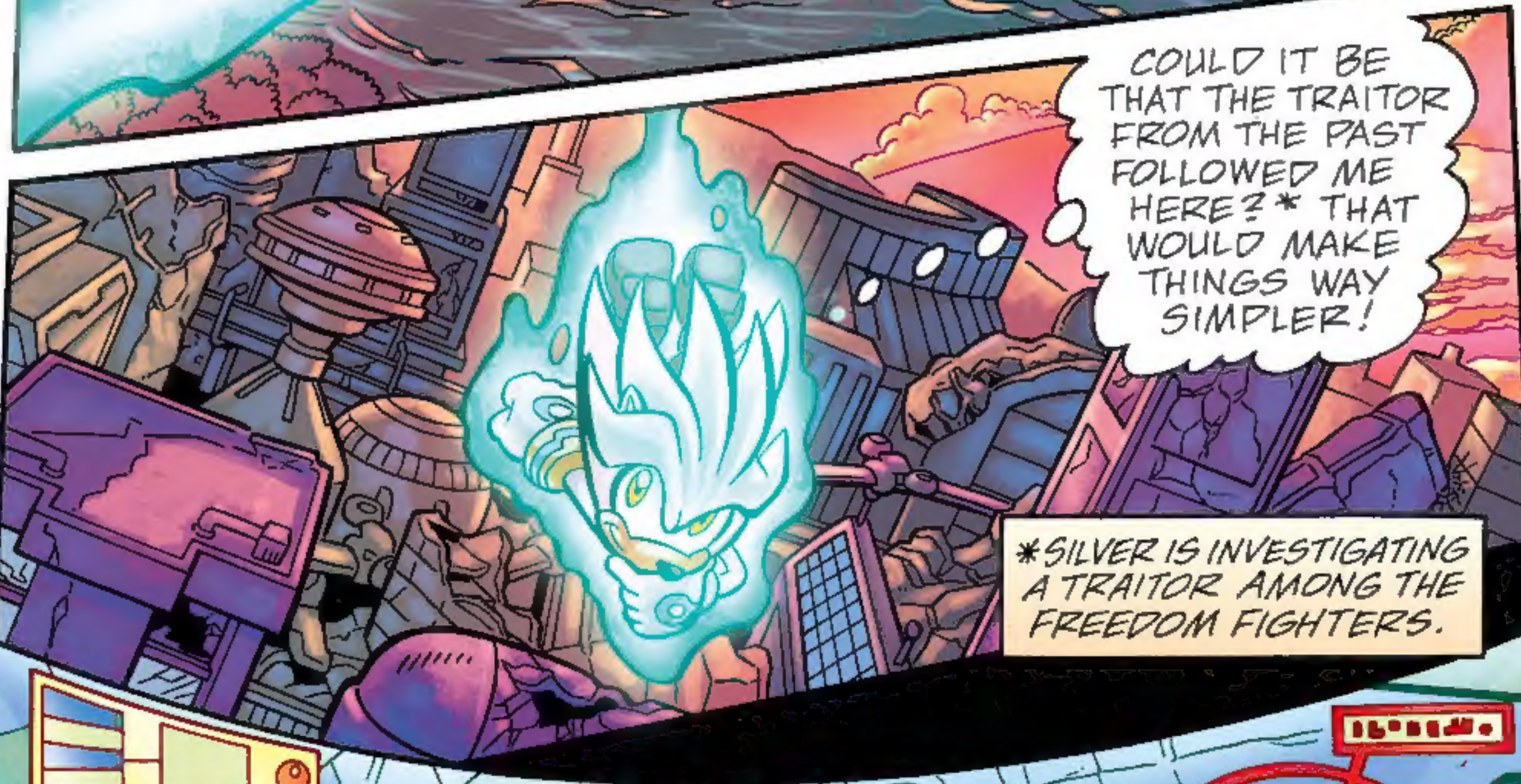




I'LL CHECK IN WITH EDMUND FIRST. HE MIGHT HAVE SENSED SOMETHING TOO...




... THAT, AND WEIRD STUFF SEEMS TO HAPPEN ON ONYX ISLAND ALL THE TIME. MY BEST BET IS TO START SEARCHING THERE.

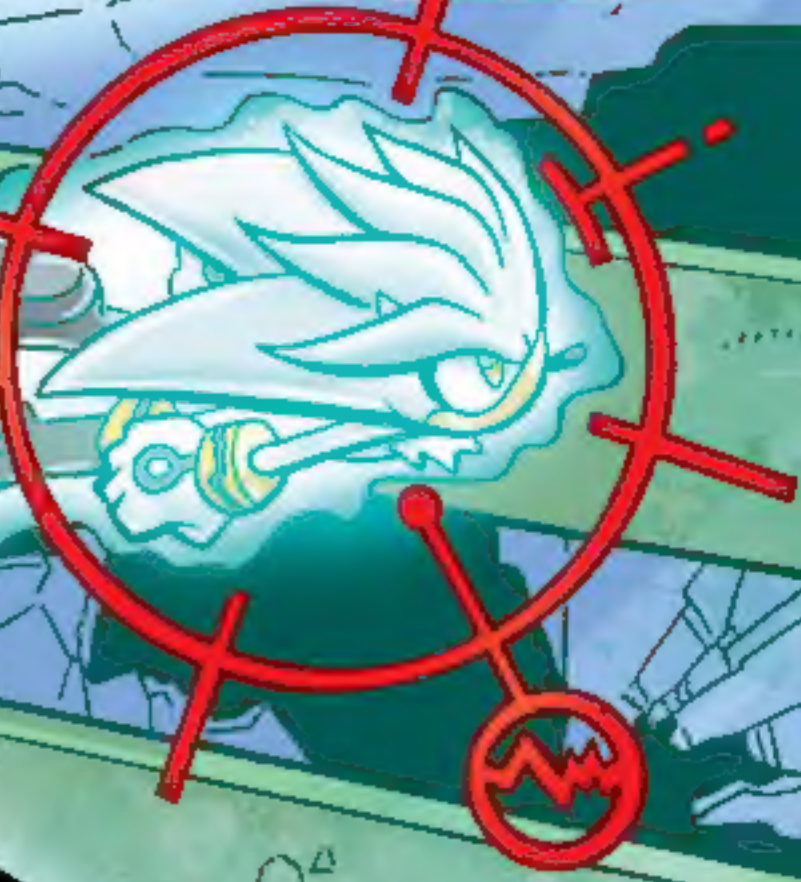


COULD IT BE THAT THE TRAITOR FROM THE PAST FOLLOWED ME HERE? * THAT WOULD MAKE THINGS WAY SIMPLER!

*SILVER IS INVESTIGATING A TRAITOR AMONG THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS.



SUBJECT: UNKNOWN
ENERGY SIGNATURE: PSYCHIC
THREAT: HIGH
ORDERS: ENGAGE. TERMINATE.





VEKT!

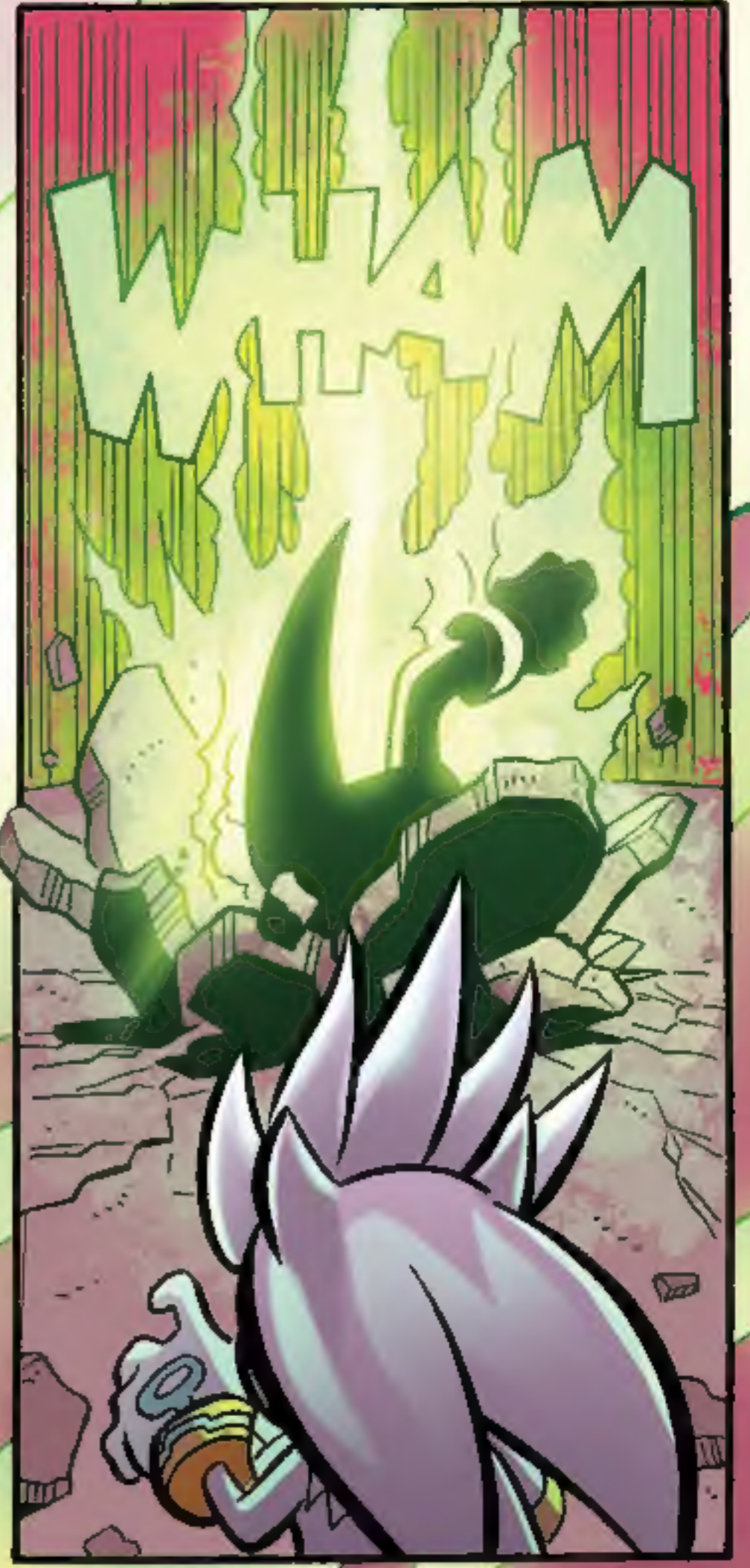
MAYBE FOR ONCE THEY'LL BE FRIENDL--
AUGH!

NO. OF COURSE NOT.

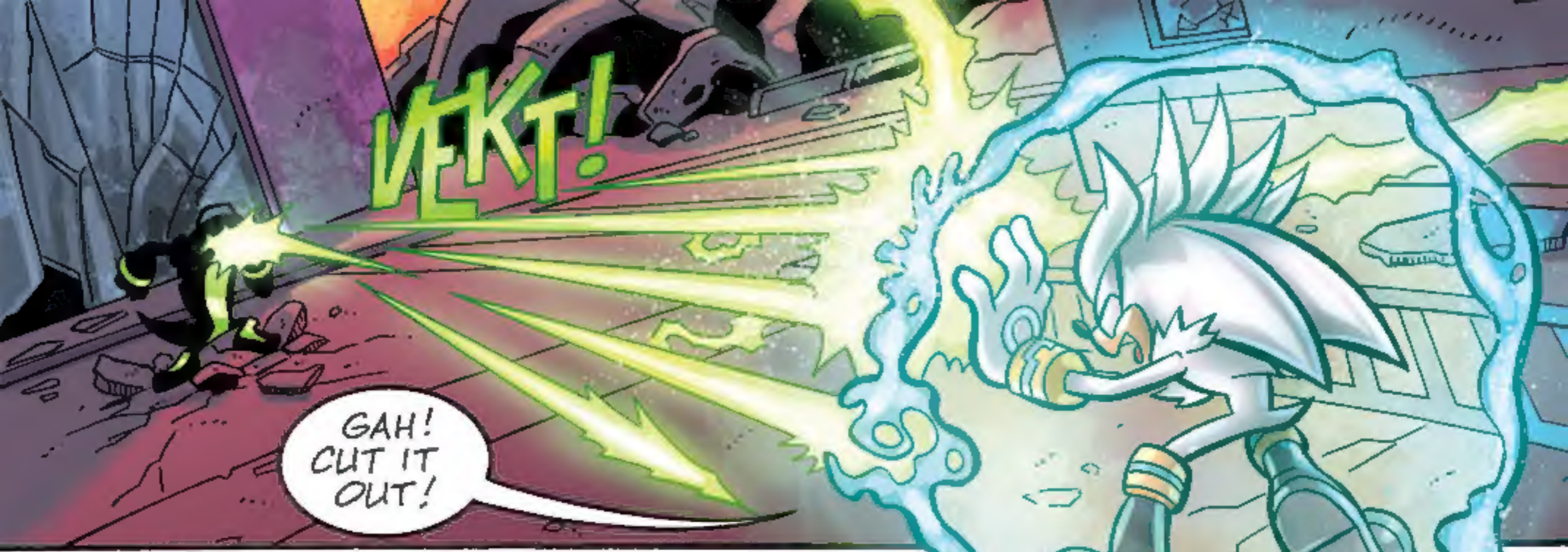
BUT YOU WON'T GET THE DROP ON ME TWICE!

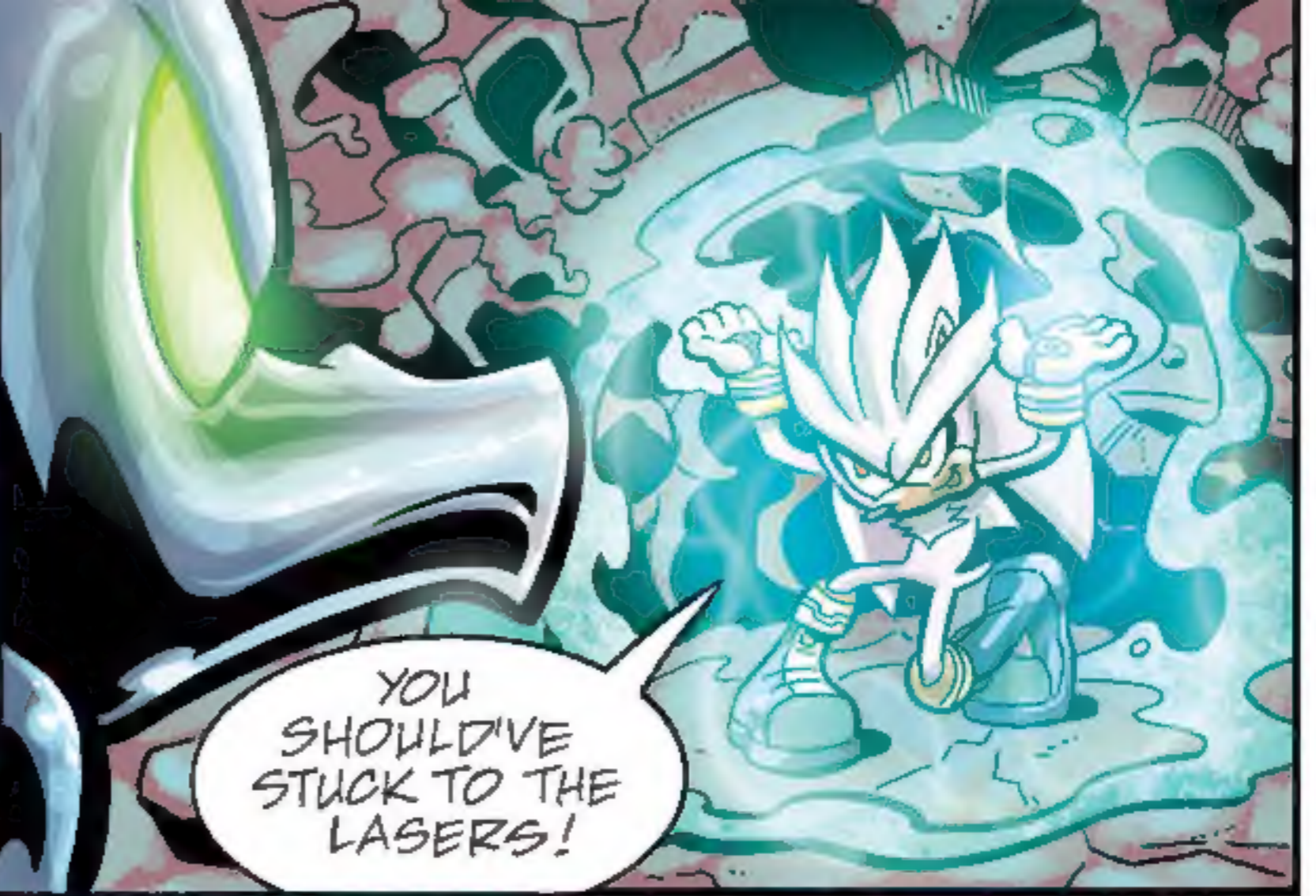
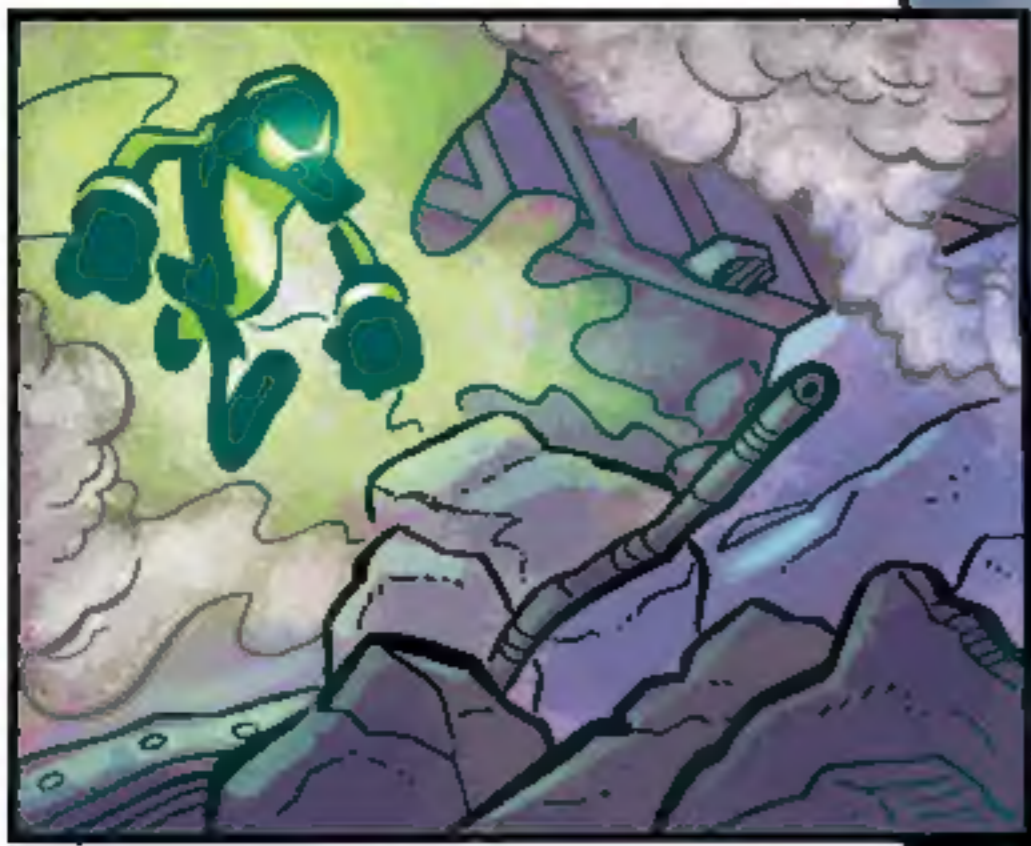
VEKT!

WHO'S THERE?! SHOW YOURSELF!



O-O-KAY...
I... STILL HAVE
NO IDEA WHO
YOU
ARE.





YOU SHOULD'VE STUCK TO THE LASERS!



MY TURN, JERK!



NOW, THEN...



...ARE YOU GOING TO EXPLAIN YOURSELF, OR DO I ROCK YOUR WORLD SOME MORE?



THAT'S RIGHT!
RUN!



NO,
WAIT,
I WAS
QUESTIONING
HIM.




GET
BACK HERE!
TRUCE! I
JUST WANT
ANSWERS!



I'LL ADMIT, I GOT
A LITTLE CARRIED
AWAY. ALL I WANT
TO KNOW IS...




...WHERE
DID YOU
GO?



OH
COME ON!
WE ALREADY
KNOW WHO WILL
WIN THIS
FIGHT!



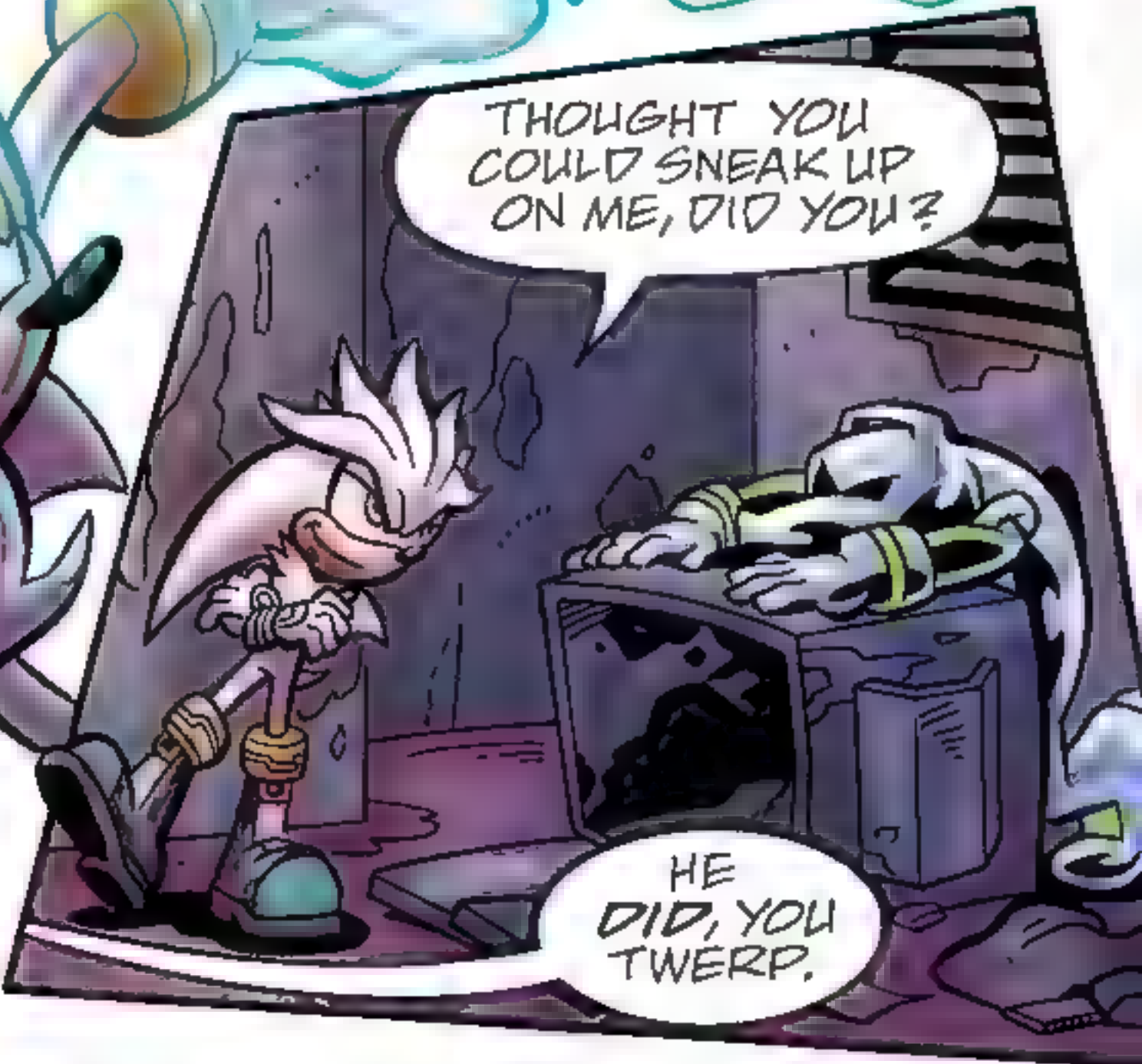
THUNDER
ARROW!



THOUGHT YOU
COULD SNEAK UP
ON ME, DID YOU?



GOT
YOU!

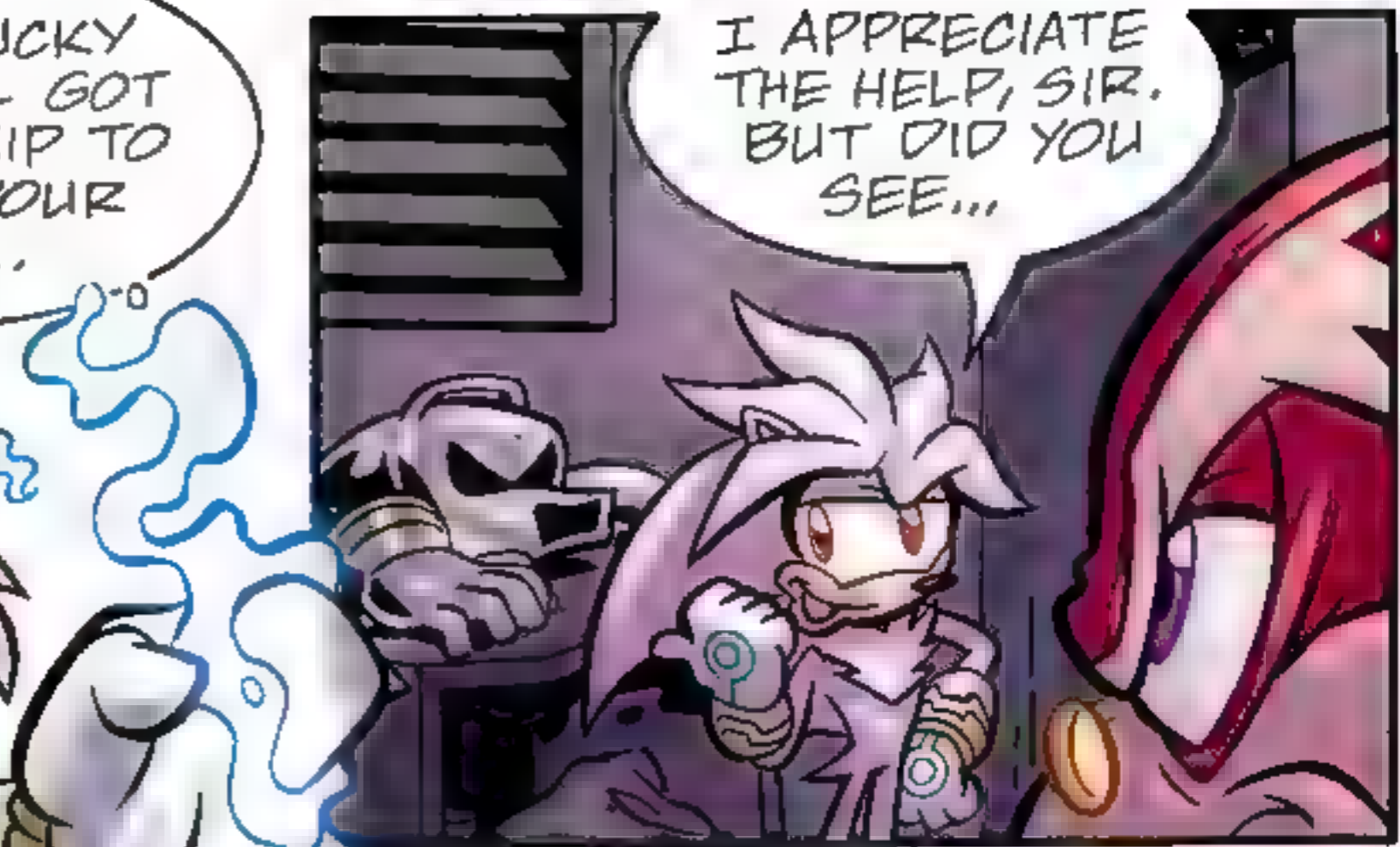


HE
DID, YOU
TWERP.

EDMUND
THE LAST
GUARDIAN

YOU'RE LUCKY
I'VE STILL GOT
ENOUGH ZIP TO
WATCH YOUR
BACK.

I APPRECIATE
THE HELP, SIR,
BUT DID YOU
SEE...



WHOOF!

HOW YOU TORE
UP WHAT'S LEFT
OF MY CITY?
YEAH, SLIPPER!
I DID!

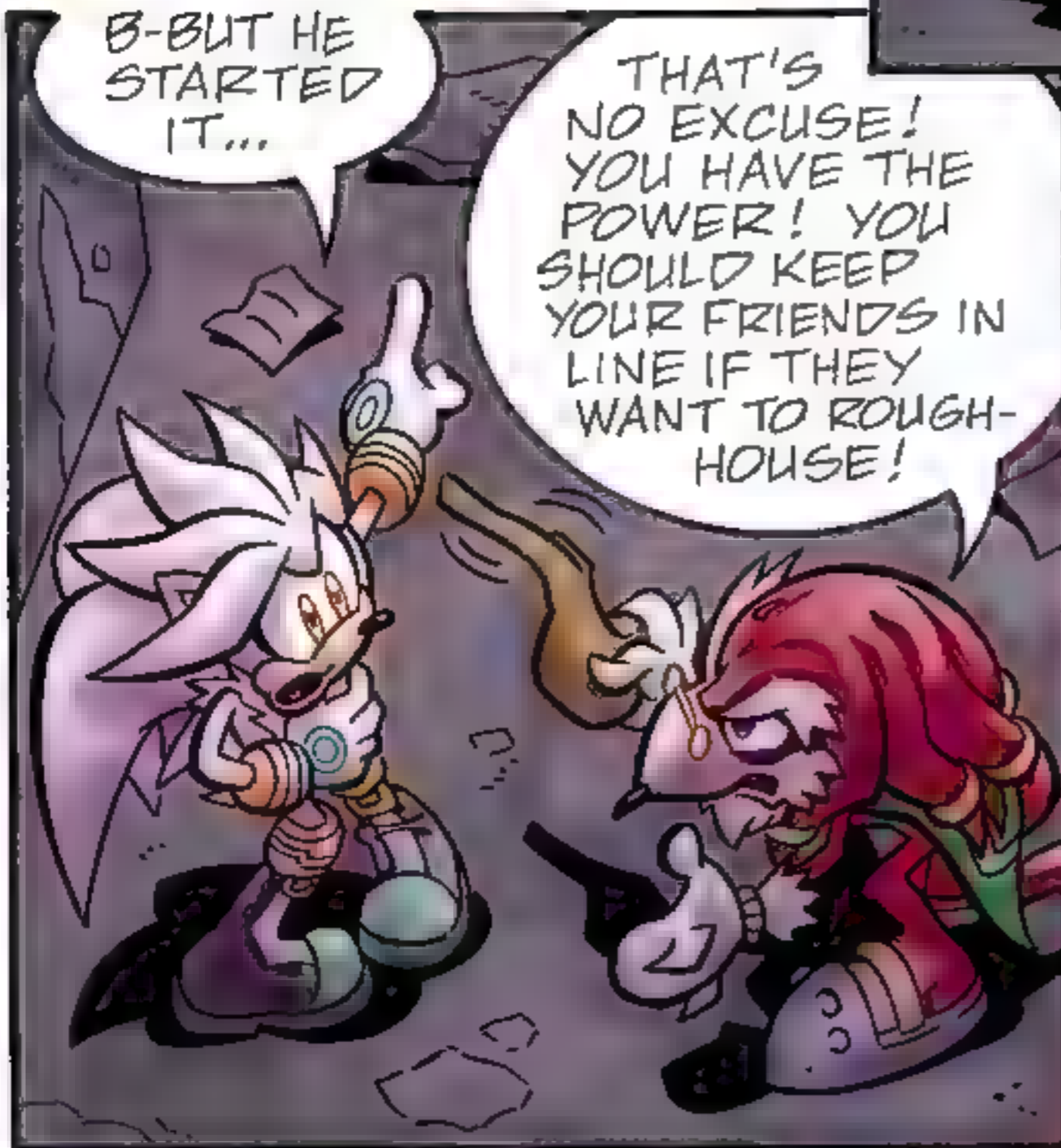


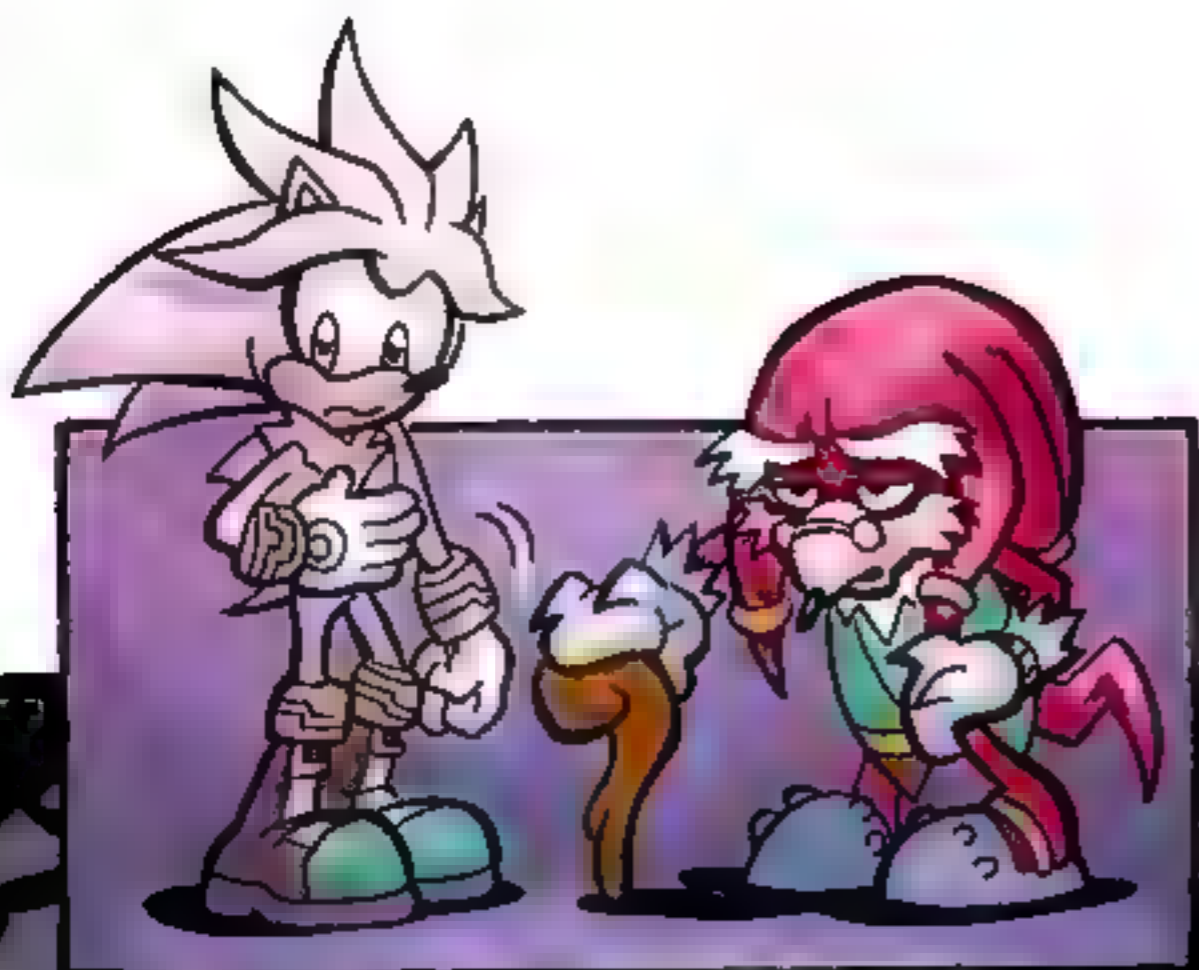
B-BUT HE
STARTED
IT...

THAT'S
NO EXCUSE!
YOU HAVE THE
POWER! YOU
SHOULD KEEP
YOUR FRIENDS IN
LINE IF THEY
WANT TO ROUGH-
HOUSE!

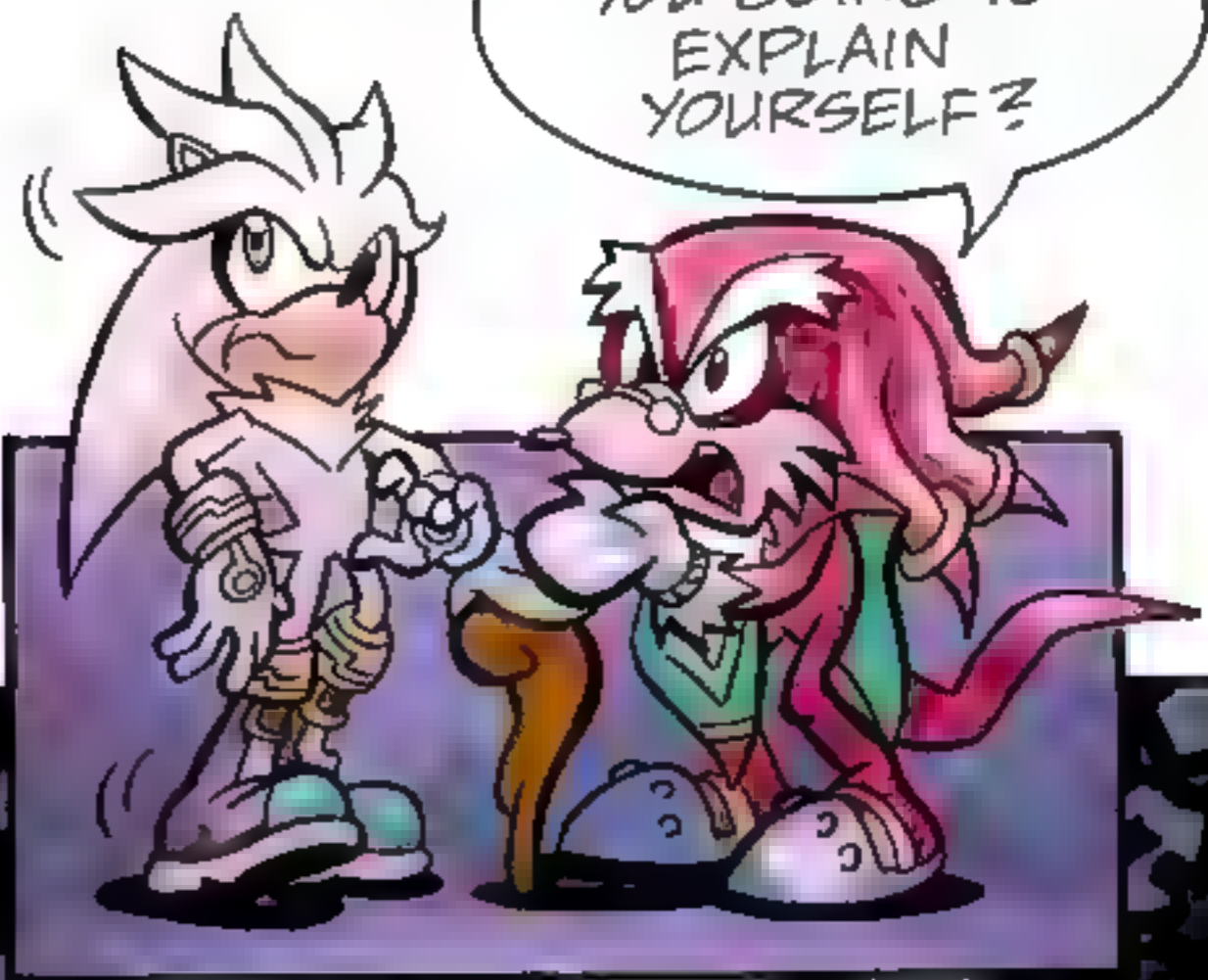
BUT--!

≡HUFF! HUFF!≡
AND NOW LOOK
AT ME! I'M AN
OLD MAN, SLIVER,
I CAN'T HANDLE
THIS MUCH
EXCITEMENT!





WELL? AREN'T YOU GOING TO EXPLAIN YOURSELF?



LIKE I WAS TRYING TO SAY...

DON'T SASS YOUR ELDERS.

... MY MASTER AND I SENSED THIS GUY THROUGH THE TIME STONE. HE'S FROM ANOTHER TIME, AND MAYBE A WHOLE OTHER DIMENSION... I MEAN, ZONE. I CAME TO FIND OUT WHO HE WAS AND IF YOU KNEW ANYTHING ABOUT HIM!



AND THEN THIS SHINY FELLOW ATTACKED YOU?

YES, SIR.

AND YOU TORE UP MY CITY.

I... PROTECTED MYSELF.

DO YOU RECOGNIZE HIM? OR... IT?

Hmm... NO. MAKES ME THINK OF MY POPPA FOR SOME REASON, THOUGH.

IF MY MASTER IS RIGHT AND IT IS FROM ANOTHER ZONE, WHY WOULD IT TRAVEL SO FAR JUST TO PICK A FIGHT?

YOU'RE TOO KIND-HEARTED, SILVER. YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND.

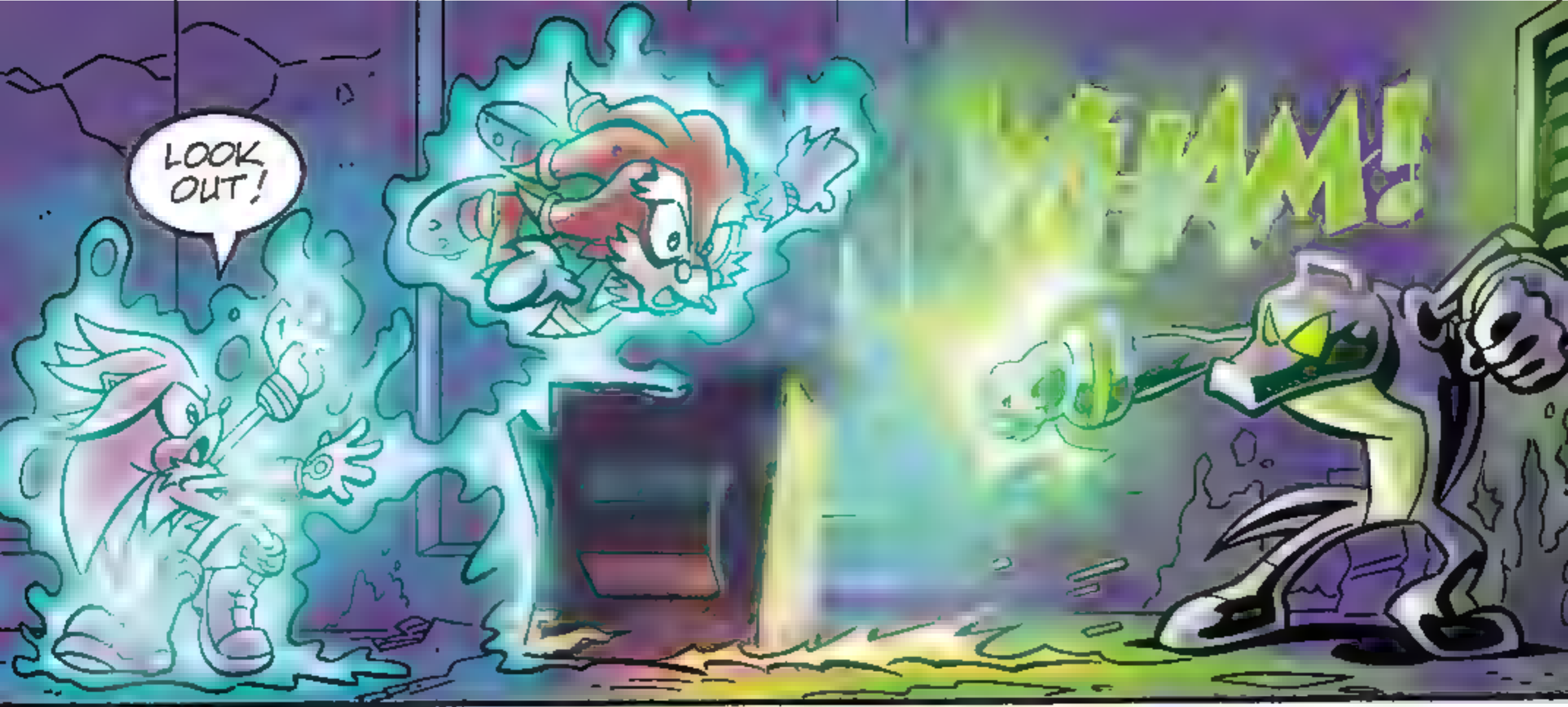
I REMEMBER THE STORIES MY MOTHER USED TO TELL ME, AND SHE DIDN'T HAVE IT HALF AS BAD AS MY GRANDDADDY!

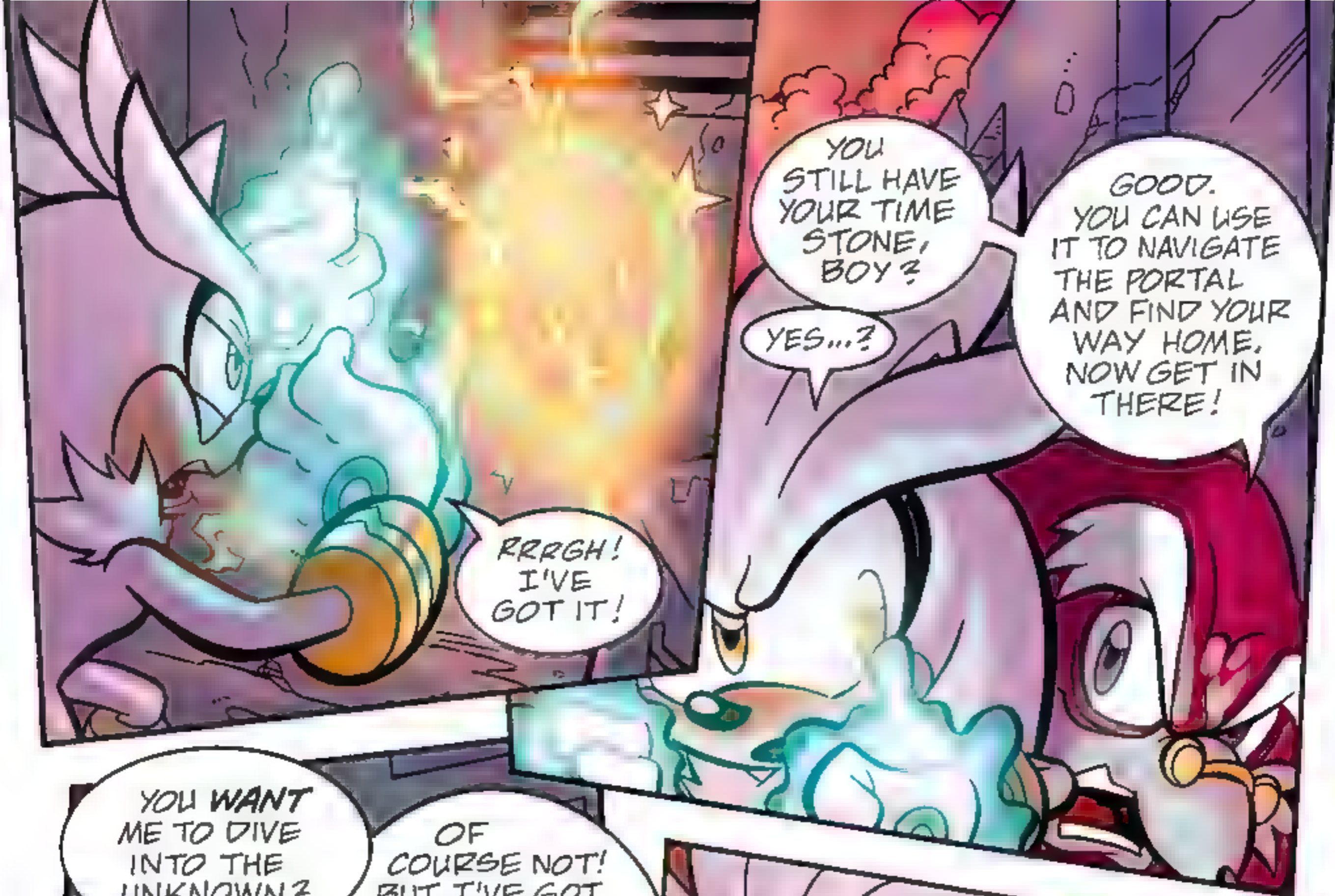
Er... RIGHT, BUT ABOUT THIS SHINY GUY HERE...

HE JUMPED OFF A BUILDING WITH NO PROBLEM AND HAS LASER EYES. DOES THAT RING ANY BELLS?

PFFT, LASERS. IN MY DAY THEY WERE ALREADY PLAYED OUT. WHY CAN'T THEY COME UP WITH SOMETHING ORIGINAL?

SYSTEM: ONLINE
MISSION STATUS:
DATA ACQUIRED
THREAT EVALUATED
RETURN AND REPORT





YOU STILL HAVE YOUR TIME STONE, BOY?

GOOD. YOU CAN USE IT TO NAVIGATE THE PORTAL AND FIND YOUR WAY HOME. NOW GET IN THERE!

YES...?

RRRGH! I'VE GOT IT!



YOU WANT ME TO DIVE INTO THE UNKNOWN?

OF COURSE NOT! BUT I'VE GOT A BAD FEELING ABOUT THAT THING, AND YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT.

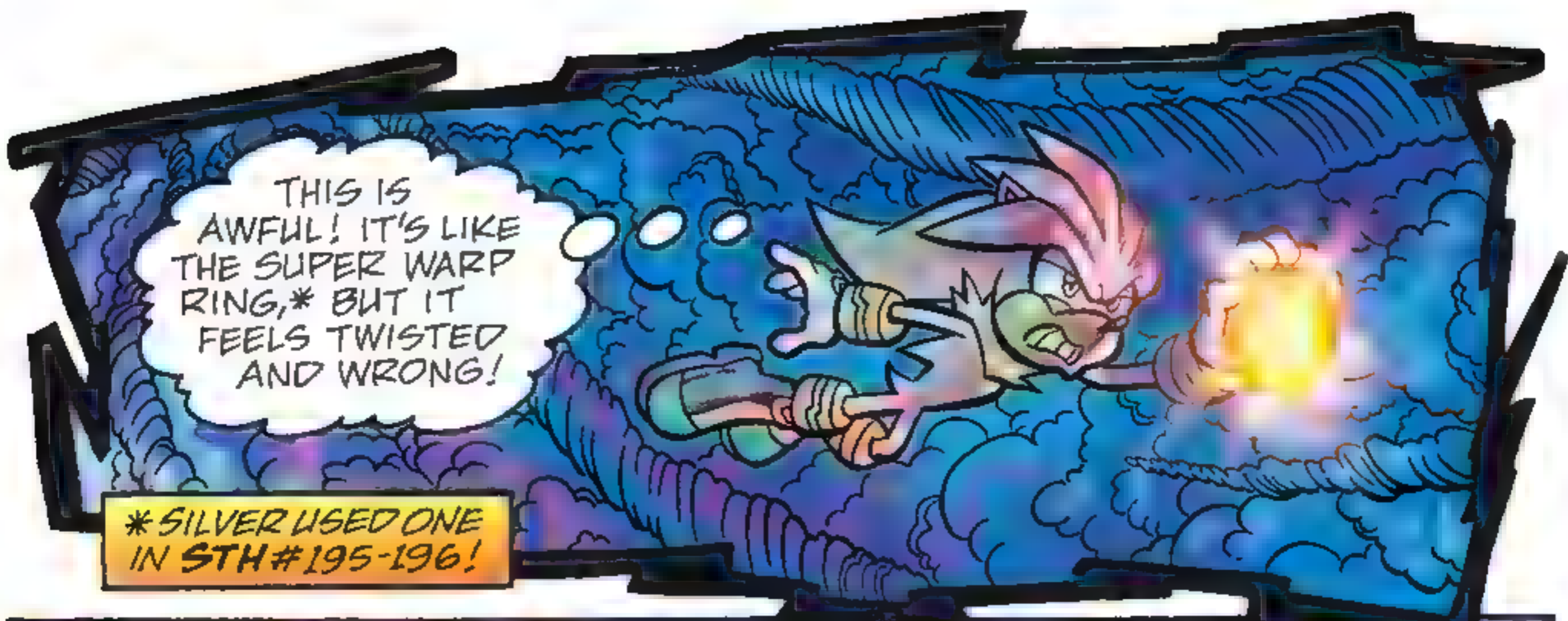


BE CAREFUL, BOY. USE YOUR HEAD, AND I DON'T JUST MEAN FOR MAKING ALL THAT GLOWING NONSENSE.

YOU SOUND LIKE MY MASTER. I'LL BE FINE!

WYAH!

NOW LET'S SEE WHERE THIS GOES!



THIS IS
AWFUL! IT'S LIKE
THE SUPER WARP
RING,* BUT IT
FEELS TWISTED
AND WRONG!

* SILVER USED ONE
IN STH#195-196!

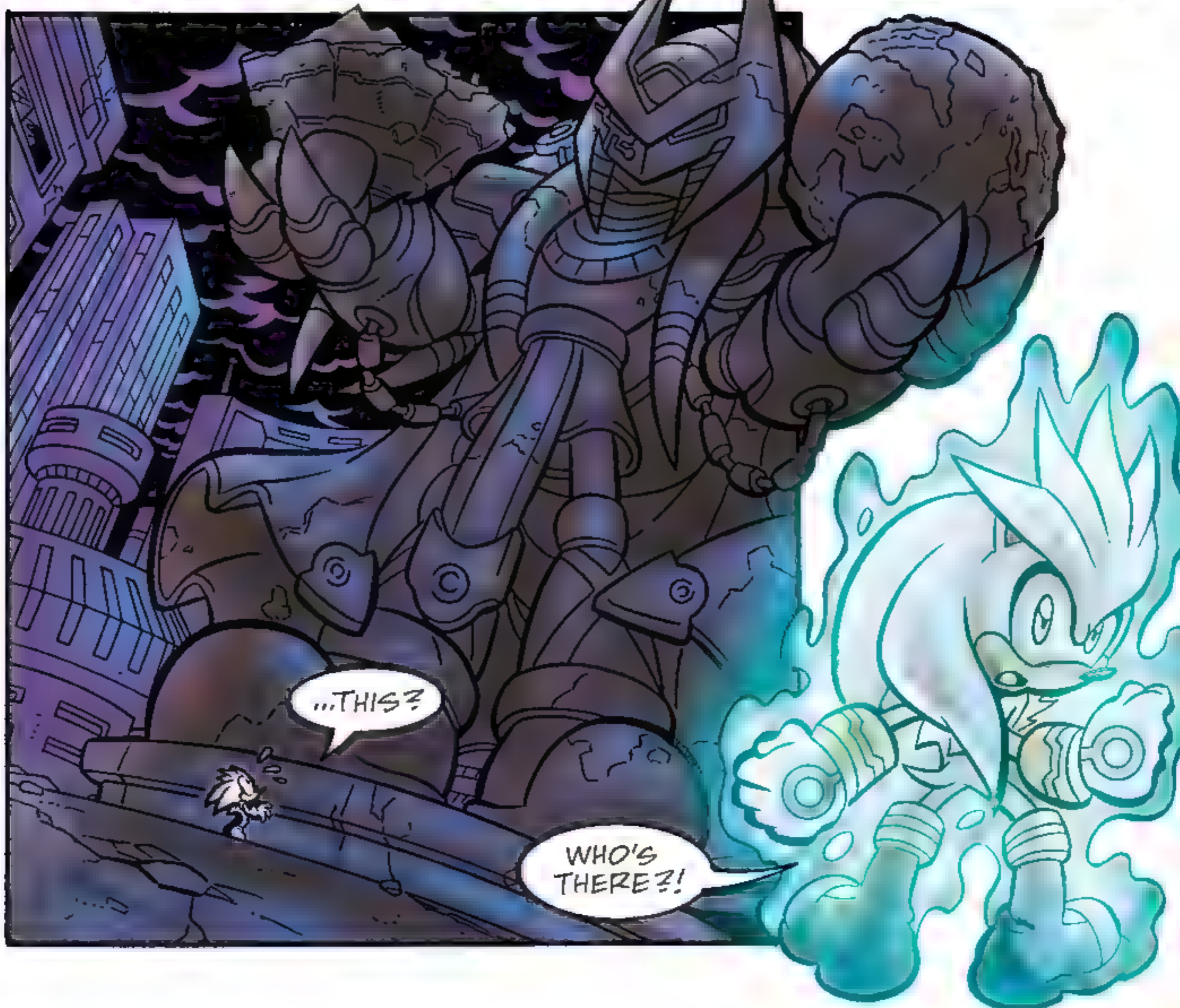
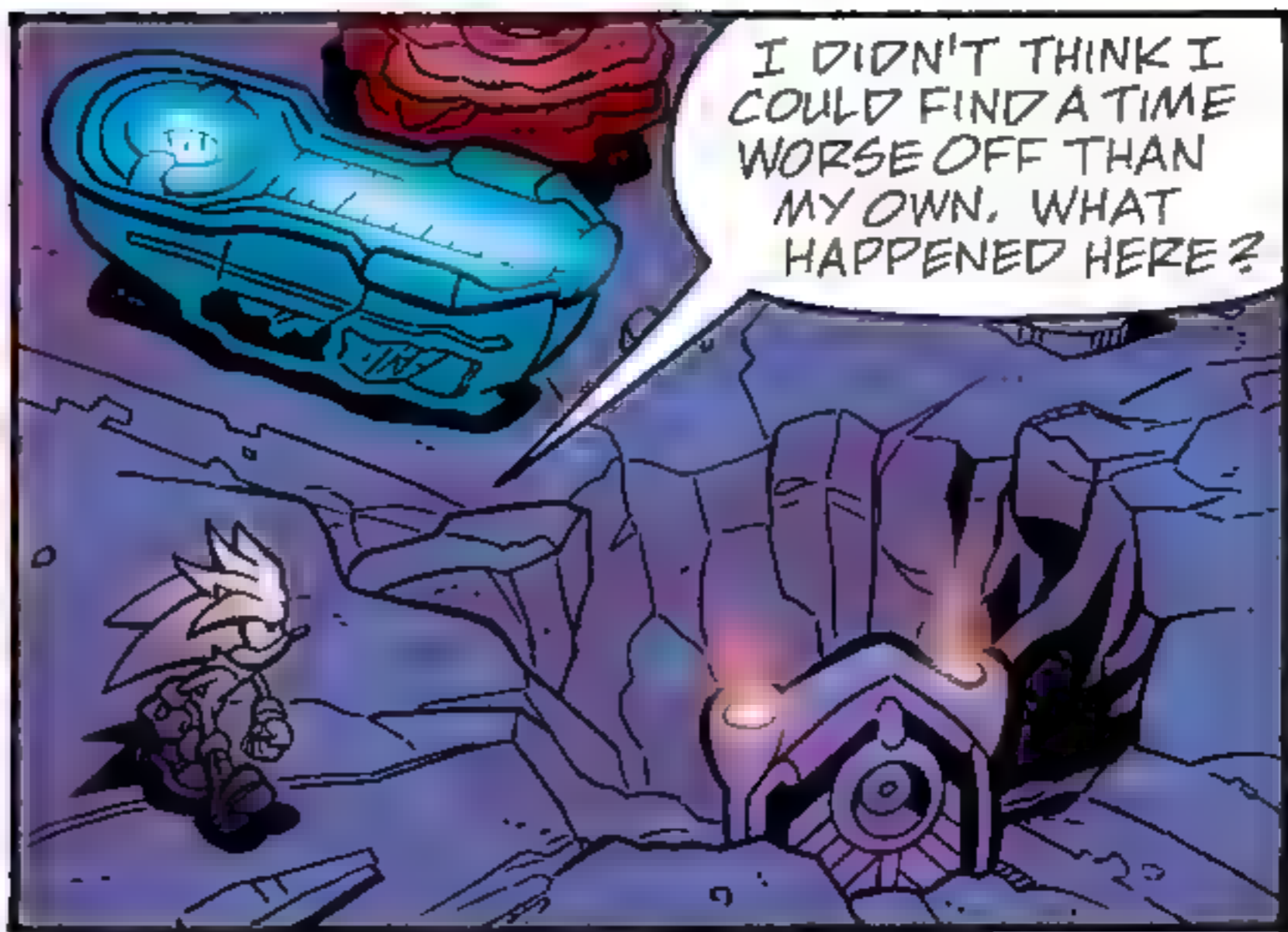


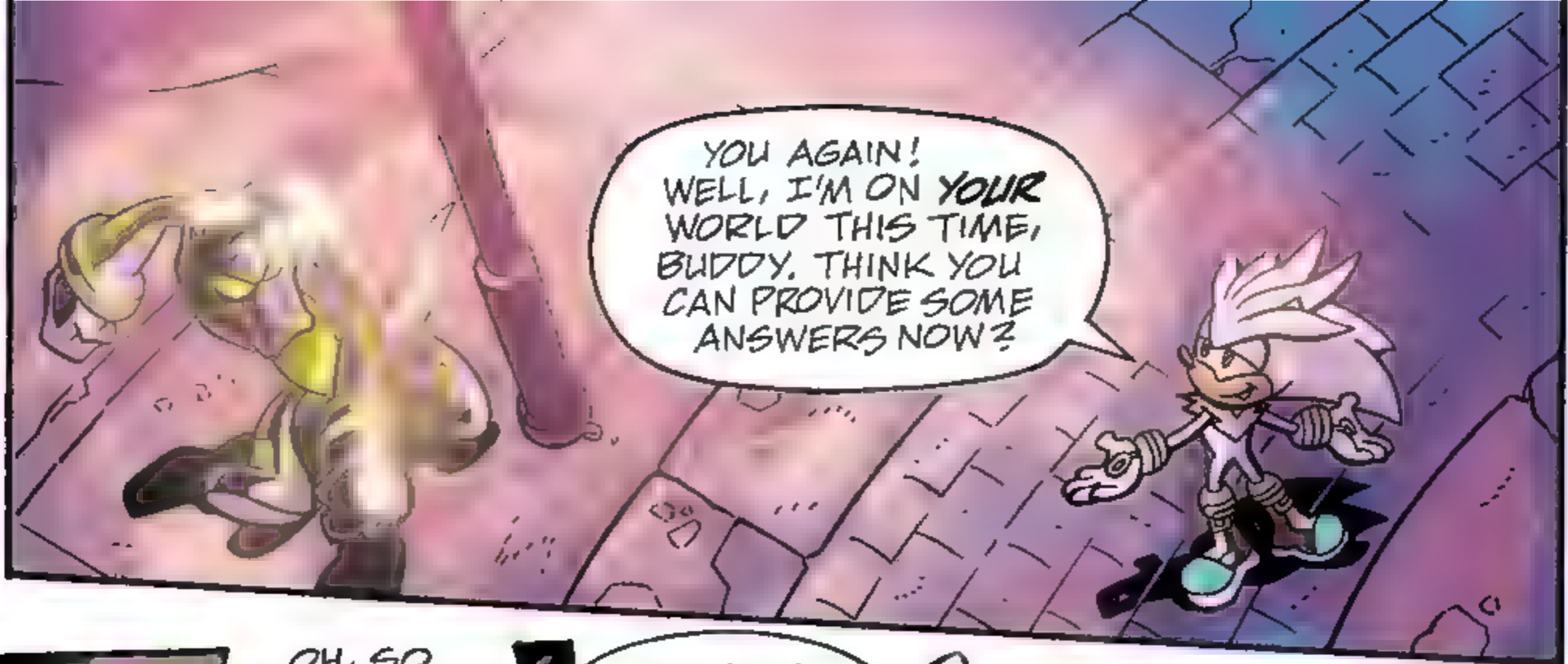
PHWOOW

COUGH!
COUGH!
AUGH!
NEVER
AGAIN!

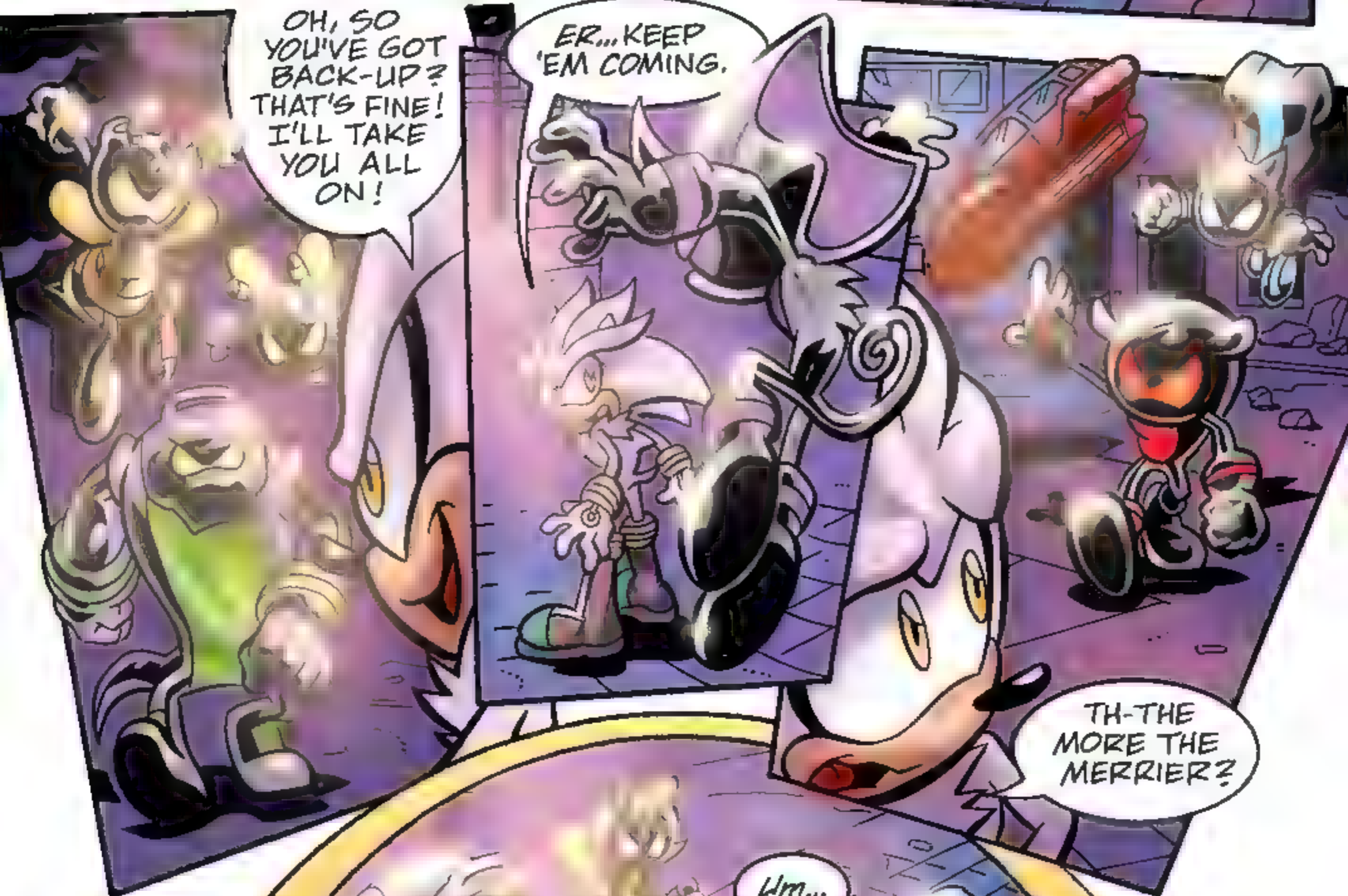


WHERE
AM I...?





YOU AGAIN!
WELL, I'M ON YOUR
WORLD THIS TIME,
BUDDY. THINK YOU
CAN PROVIDE SOME
ANSWERS NOW?



OH, SO
YOU'VE GOT
BACK-UP?
THAT'S FINE!
I'LL TAKE
YOU ALL
ON!

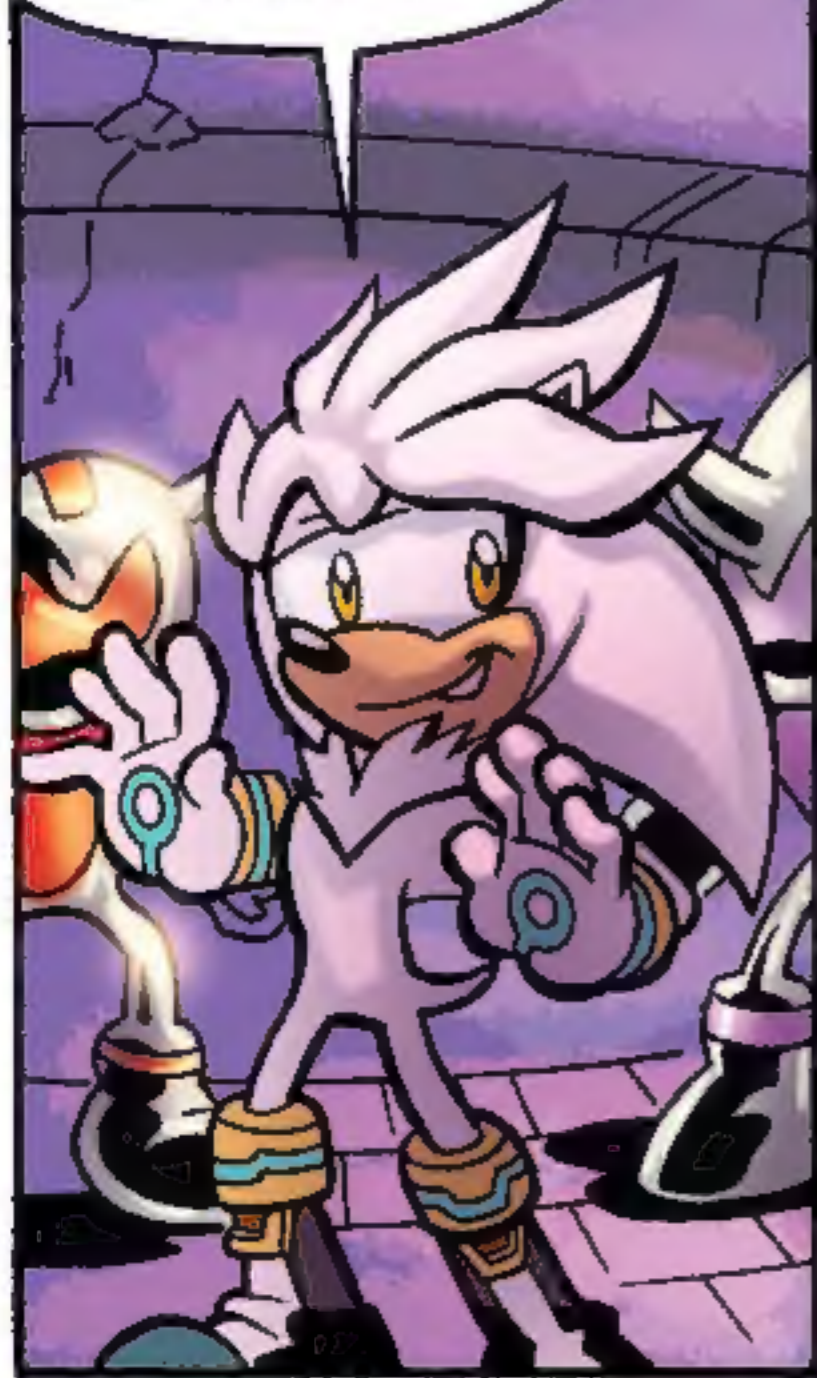
ER...KEEP
'EM COMING.

TH-THE
MORE THE
MERRIER?

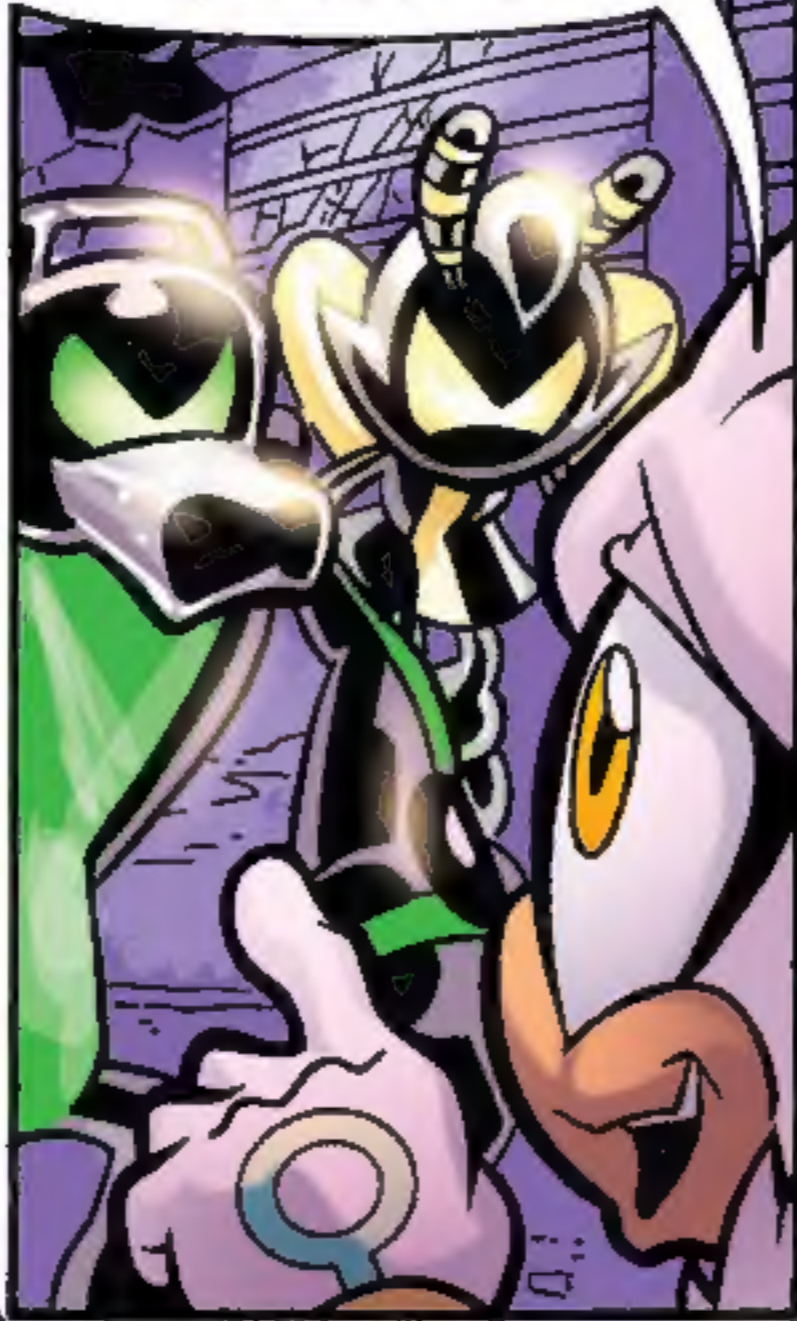


Um...

HAHA! OKAY, YOU GOT ME! BUT THAT'S FAIR, RIGHT?



I MEAN, I BEAT YOU ON MY WORLD! NOW YOU GUYS HAVE ME OUTNUMBERED ON YOURS.



I MEAN, YOU'RE ALL NO MATCH FOR ME.

I THINK.

I HOPE.

SO SAVE YOURSELVES THE BEATING...



...AND WE CAN END THIS PEACEFULLY, RIGHT?



VEKT!

SFRW!

RYY!

CHRM!

MHZT!

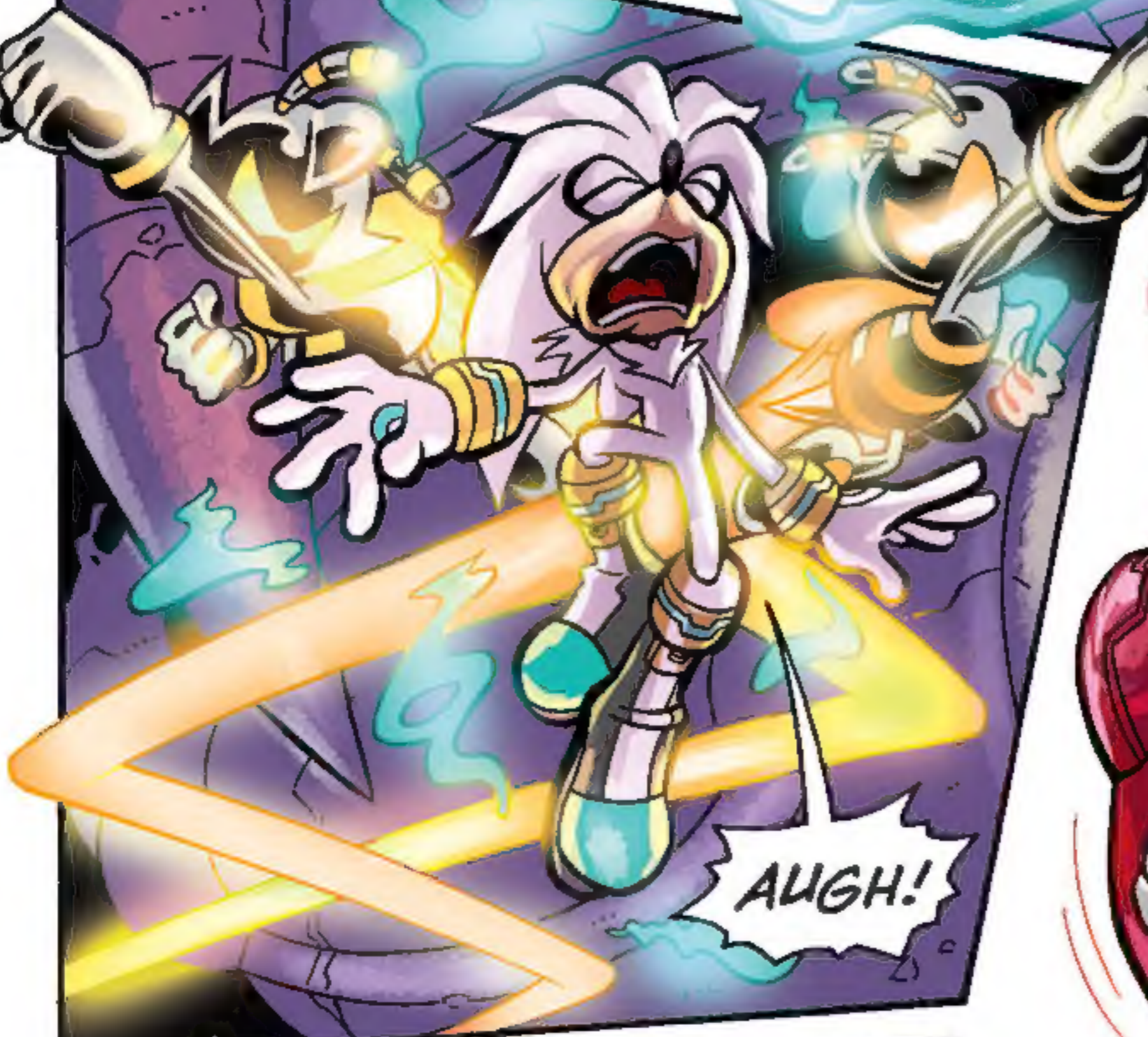
SPO!

YOW!

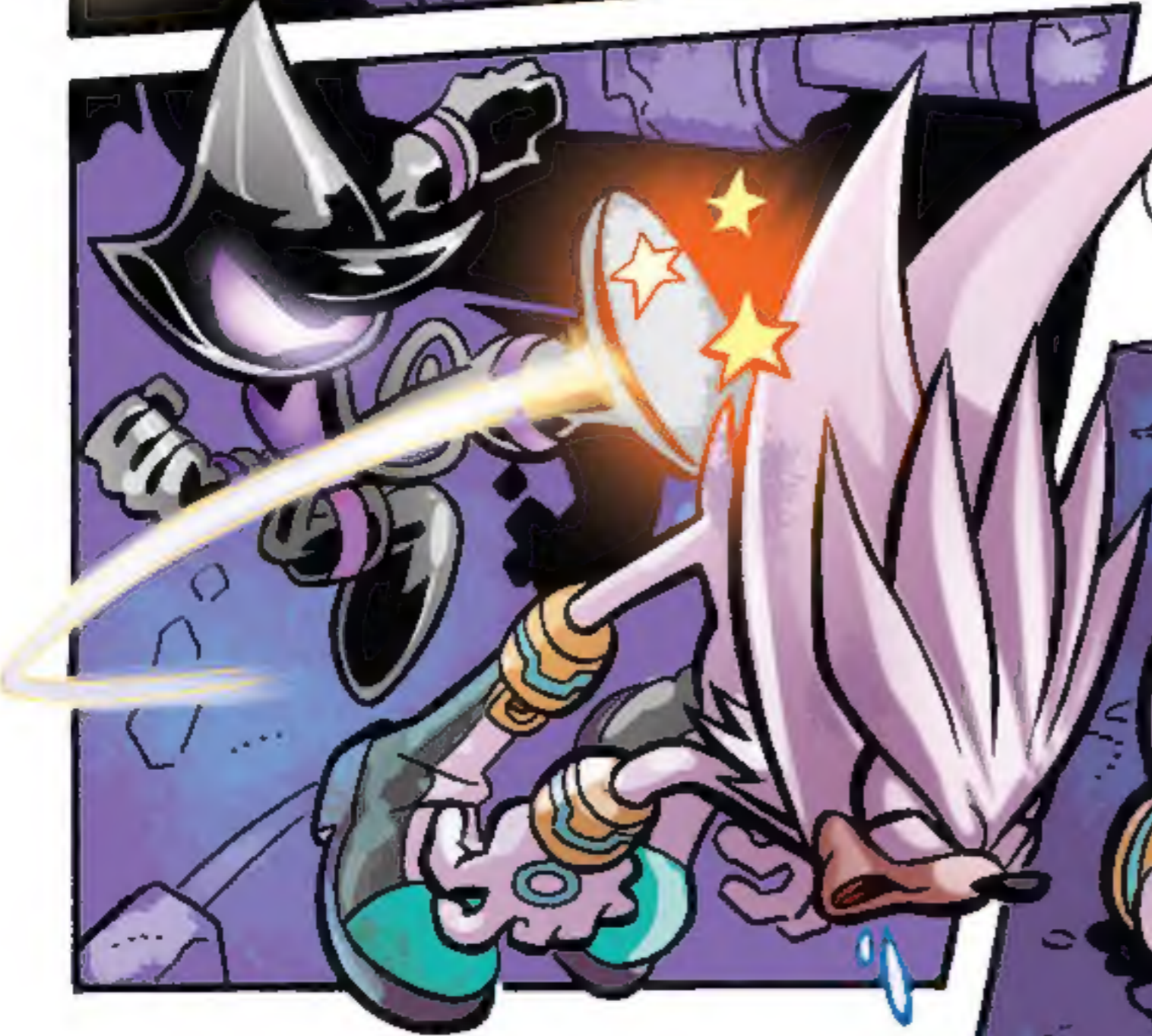
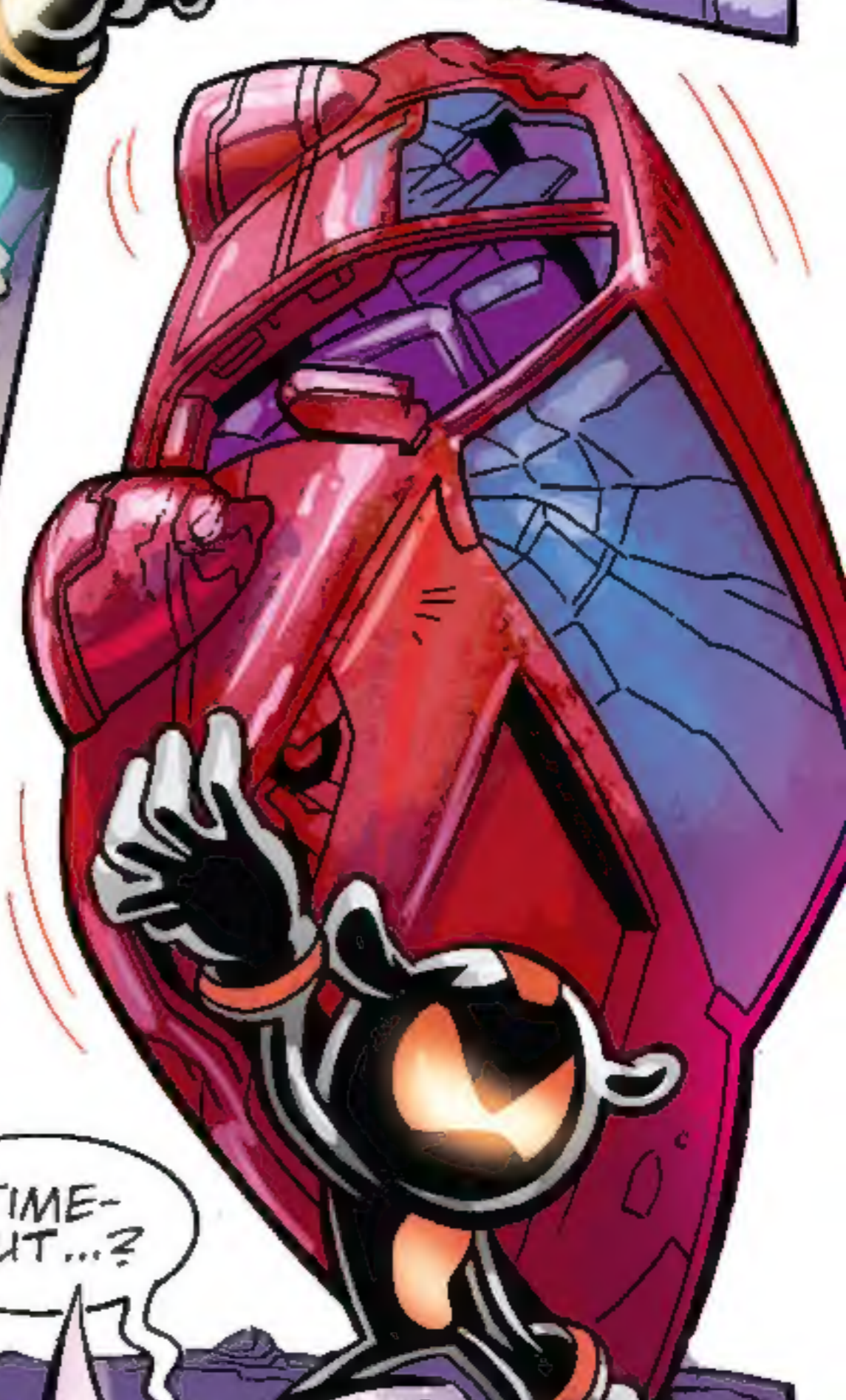




"DON'T LOOK FOR A FIGHT."
"USE YOUR HEAD!" EASY FOR THEM TO SAY!

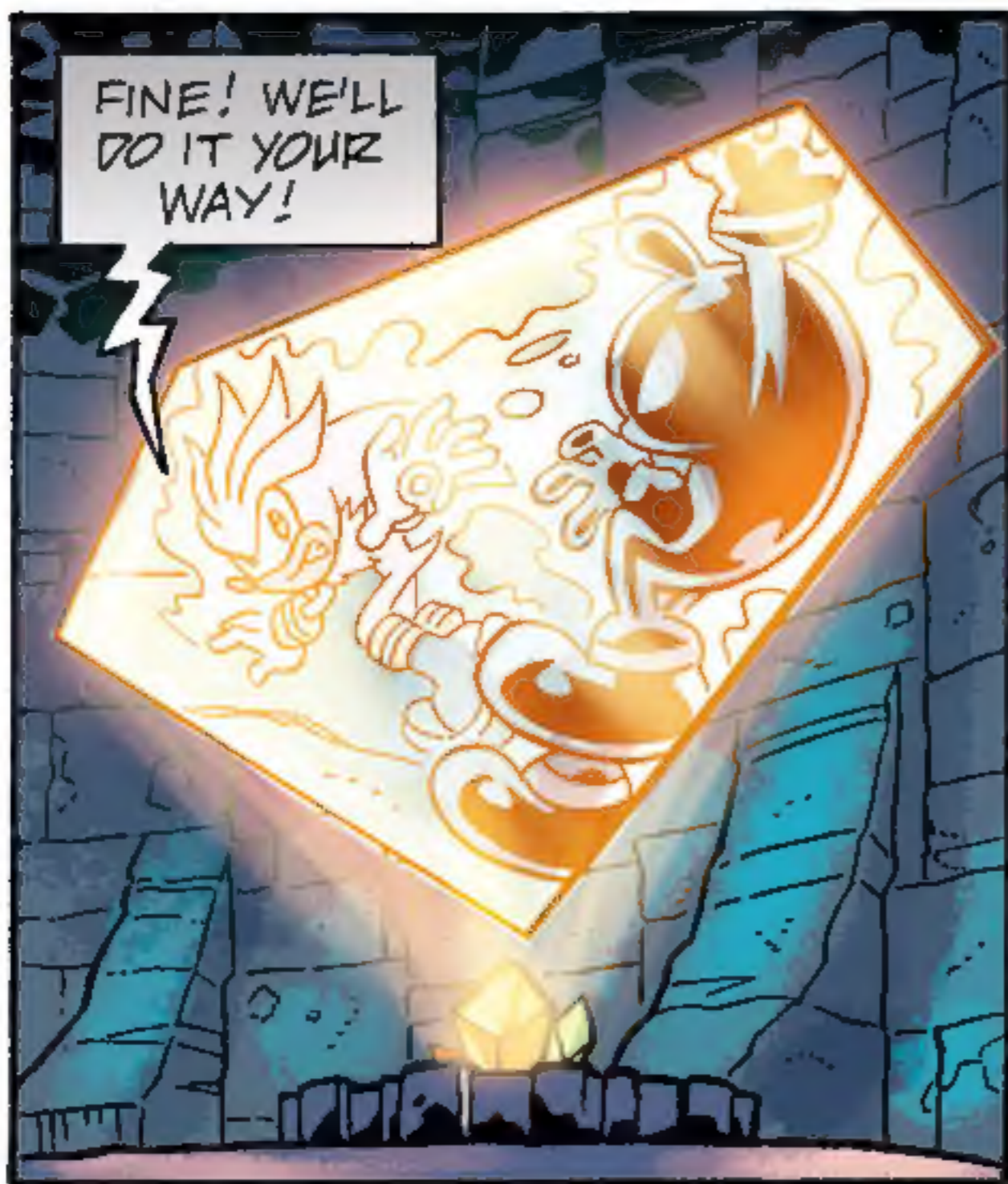


AUGH!



...TIME-OUT...?

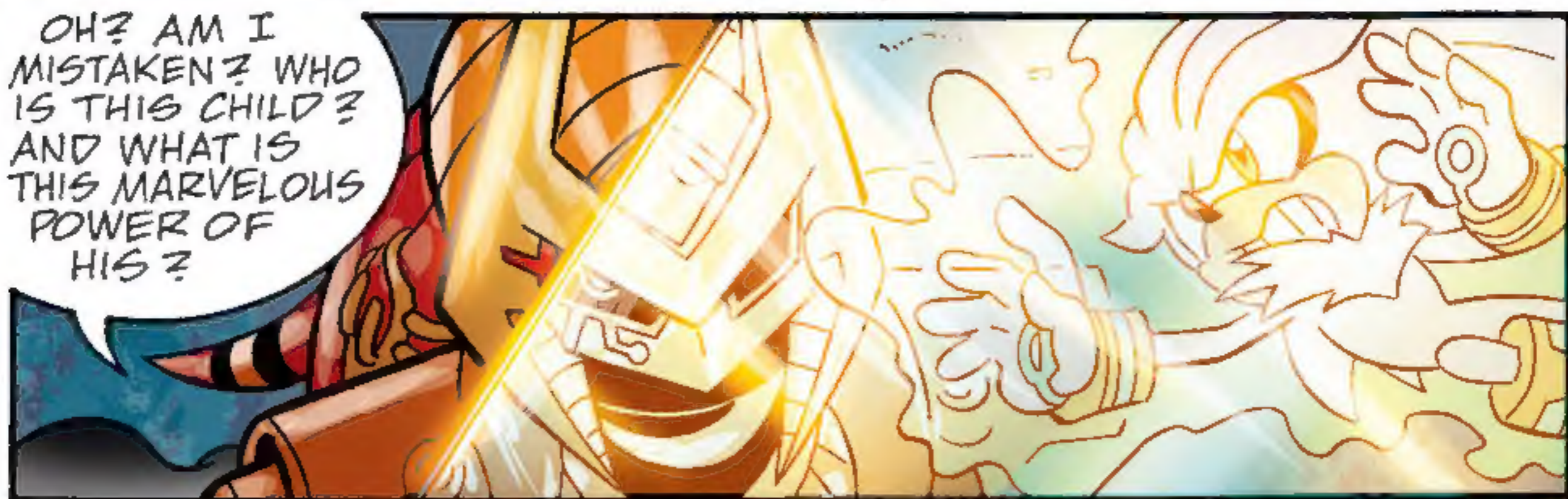




FINE! WE'LL DO IT YOUR WAY!



EXCUSE ME A MOMENT, CONSTABLE, IT APPEARS THE REBELS ARE ACTING UP AGAIN.



OH? AM I MISTAKEN? WHO IS THIS CHILD? AND WHAT IS THIS MARVELOUS POWER OF HIS?



I'M AFRAID I MUST CUT THIS SHORT, OLD FRIEND, SOMETHING FAR MORE INTERESTING HAS ARRIVED IN MY CITY.

SH-SHE'LL... S-S-STOP Y-YOU...



YOU SHOULD KNOW BY NOW, CONSTABLE...



...NOTHING
CAN STOP
ME.

ENERJAK
LIVING GOD

SILVER IS OVERWHELMED ON A DARK AND DISTANT WORLD! THE MOST POWERFUL VILLAIN IN SONIC HISTORY IS HERE TOO! YOU CAN'T MISS WHAT HAPPENS NEXT TIME! UNTIL THEN, ENJOY SONIC THE HEDGEHOG, THE SONIC ARCHIVES AND SONIC SELECTS!